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SHIPPING.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL COMPANY.

STEAM to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, AND MARSEILLES.

THE following or other Steamers will be despatched as above :—

	Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	FRIDAY.
L.	GWALIOR ...	2733	500	M. de Horne ...	8th Dec.
—	VENETIA ...	2726	500	A. B. Daniell ..	15th ,,
L.	DECCAN ...	3429	600	J. Orman ...	22nd ,,
—	LOMBARDY ...	2726	500	W. E. Breeze ...	29th ,,
					1883.
L.	BRINDISI ...	3542	550	R. B. Haselwood	5th Jan.
—	SURAT ...	3142	530	A. W. Adamson	12th ,,
L.	SUTLEJ ...	4191	750	A. H. Johnson	19th ,,
—	HYDASPES ...	2934	500	G. Scrivener	26th ,,
L.	MIRZAPORE ...	2887	500	C. G. Perrins	2nd Feby.
—	KASHGAR ...	2621	450	R. G. Murray	9th ,,
L.	HOME ...	3013	850	G. T. Cates	16th ,,
—	MALWA ...	2959	600	G. W. Atkinson	23rd ,,
L.	THAMES ...	4101	750	W. D. Anderson	2nd Mar.
—	VENETIA ...	2726	500	A. B. Daniell	9th ,,
L.	GANGES ...	4196	750	W. B. Andrews	16th ,,
—	SURAT ...	3142	530	A. W. Adamson	23rd ,,
L.	PEKIN ...	3900	600	A. Symons	30th ,,
—	HYDASPES ...	2934	500	G. Scrivener	6th Apr.
L.	POONAH ...	3130	600	J. B. Chapman	13th ,,
—	BOKHARA ...	2932	500	H. Weighell	20th ,,
L.	CATHAY ...	2283	500	W. C. Robbie	27th ,,
—	MALWA ...	2959	600	G. W. Atkinson	4th May.

A Launch leaves the Company's Dock-head, at Mazagon, at 3 p.m. on the day of sailing.

Passengers are booked to ADEN, SUEZ, PORT SAID, MALTA, GIBRALTAR, PLYMOUTH, LONDON, BRINDISI, VENICE, TRIESTE, and MARSEILLES, by every Mail. The Steamers marked L proceed direct to London calling at Plymouth. By the others passengers change vessels at Suez.

Return Tickets are now issued at reduced rates as under: THREE MONTHS—From date of departure to that of return.

	Via Brindisi, both ways.	Via Brindisi, one way.	Via London, both ways.
First Class ..	Rs. 900	Rs. 1,000	Rs. 1,050
Second Class.	Rs. 500	Rs. 550	Rs. 600
SIX MONTHS—			
First Class ..	Rs. 1,150	Rs. 1,200	Rs. 1,250
Second Class.	Rs. 600	Rs. 650	Rs. 700

STEAM TO PENANG, STRAITS, CHINA, JAPAN, KING GEORGE'S SOUND, ADELAIDE, MELBOURNE, AND SYDNEY, CALLING AT COLOMBO.

Vessels.	Tons.	H.P.	Captains.	1882.
THAMES	4101	750	W. D. Anderson ...	15th Dec.
GANGES	4196	750	W. B. Andrews ...	29th ,,
				1883.
PEKIN	3900	600	A. Symons	12th Jan.

Return Tickets are now issued :— 1st Class. 2nd Class.

	Rs.	Rs.
To K. George's Sound, Adelaide, Melbourne or Sydney and back (available for nine months)	600	375
To Colombo and back (available for two months)	150	75
To Madras and back (available for two months)	210	105
To Calcutta and back ... do. ...	330	165
To Penang or Singapore and back (available for three months)	450	225
To Hongkong and back (available for three months)	630	390
To Shanghai or Yokohama and back (available for three months)	810	465

Passengers for Australia change steamers at Colombo.

F. D. PARKER,
Superintendent, P. & O. S. N. Company.
Bombay, 6th December, 1882.

NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA

FLORIO & RUBATTINO'S
UNITED COMPANIES
(UNDER CONTRACT WITH THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.)

THE Regular Mail-steamers leave GENOA and BOMBAY on the 24th and on the 1st of each month, calling at LEGHORN, NAPLES, MESSINA, CATANIA, PORT SAID, SUEZ, ADEN and vice versa.

PASSENGERS' RATES FROM BOMBAY

To all Ports of Italy.		To Marseilles.	
I Class ..£ 60	Including	I Class ..£ 52	Including
II do..... 36	Wines.	II do..... 30	Wines.
III do..... 15	With food.	III do..... 15	With food.

Children under 3 years, free of charge.
Children not above 10 years, half fare.

Passengers' heavy Baggage will be delivered in LONDON FREE OF CHARGE to the extent allowed by the Hand-books. All extra Luggage will be charged at rates which can be ascertained from the Agents.

The following or other first Class Steamers leave Bombay :—

MANILLA, on Friday, 15th December.
RAFFAELE RUBATTINO on Friday, 29th December.

Passengers are booked through to Paris, free of charge, by Express Trains leaving Modane on the Mont Cenis Railway every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

From Genoa, I Class Calais Route, £11 do. do. .. £10
From Naples, I do. do. .. £10
,, ,, II do. do. .. £7

For Hand-books of Information, rates of Passage, &c., apply to

F. BOZZONI,
Agent.
Sassoon House, Elphinstone Circle, Bombay.
Bombay, Nov. 20, 1882.

FRENCH LINE.

CIE NATIONALE DE NAVIGATION.

Regular monthly steamers to Marseilles doing the run in 20 days.

THE new first-class steamer COLOMBO, 2,017 tons, 450 horse-power, will leave BOMBAY for MARSEILLES direct on the 24th December.

She has, in common with the other new steamers of this Company, splendid accommodation for passengers, being built specially with a view to their comfort, the cabins being roomy and containing two berths only. She carries Doctor and Stewardess.

RATES OF PASSAGE.

First class to Marseilles, Rs. 500 including wines.
Children under three years of age free of charge.
,, over three and under eight ½ charge.
,, ,, eight and under twelve ¾ ,,

The Railway fares from Marseilles to London are as follows :—

Via Calais and Dover (Mail)..... 1st class £ 7 5 0
Via Dieppe ..... 1st class ,, 5 18 1

The above steamer will be followed by the Canton or Comorin leaving 31st January.

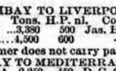
Steamers of this line will leave Bombay regularly on the 31st of each month from January, and they will sail from Marseilles, on the 20th of each month.

For further particulars apply to

Messrs. RALLI BROTHERS,
Agents.
Bombay, 21st Nov., 1882.

ANCHOR LINE.

INDIAN SERVICE BETWEEN BOMBAY, LIVERPOOL, AND MEDITERRANEAN.



THE following sailings have been arranged :—

BOMBAY TO LIVERPOOL.

	Tons.	H.P.	nl.	Comdrs.	About
s.s. HISPANIA	3,380	500		Jas. Harris ...	18th Dec.
s.s. NUBIA	4,500	600		.....	30th Dec.

* This steamer does not carry passengers.

BOMBAY TO MEDITERRANEAN.

s.s. AUSTRALIA ..2,250 450 D. C. Campbell..9th Dec.
s.s. ALSATIA ..... 2,850 800 J. D. Murray ...11th Jan.

To be followed by other 1st class steamers at regular intervals.

For rates and further particulars apply to

W. & A. GRAHAM & Co.,
Agents.
Bombay, 16th October, 1882.

CONSIGNEES of CARGO per s.s. INCHULVA, from Liverpool, are hereby requested to present their BILLS of LADING for our countersignature, and to TAKE DELIVERY of their respective GOODS from the PRINCE'S DOCK. All chafed or damaged Goods must be surveyed before removal from the Dock, and no claims will be admitted after the steamer leaves.

SIR CHARLES FORBES & Co.,
Agents for Captain, and Owners, s.s. Inchulva.
Bombay, 4th December, 1882.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

COTTON WASTE.

TENDERS are invited for the supply of COTTON WASTE in three qualities required by the pany for twelve months, commencing the first day of February next, to be delivered from time to time in such quantities as may be required ; the annual consumption, averaging about 60 Tons of No. 1, 70 Tons of No. 2, and 80 Tons of No. 3. Samples may be seen at the Storekeeper's Office, Byculla.

Sealed Tenders, endorsed "Tender for Cotton Waste" which must specify the rates per cwt. delivered at the Stores Depots, Byculla, and Parel, will be received by the Agent at the Company's Offices, Elphinstone-circle, Bombay, up to 1 p.m. (Gun-fire) on WEDNESDAY, 20th December next, after which hour no Tender will be received.

No notice will be taken of any Tender unless accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government Promissory Notes.

Five per cent. on the value of the contract will be required as security. One-half to be deposited on signing the contract, and the remainder by 5 per cent. retentions from monthly payments.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the lowest or any Tender.

ALFRED KING, Storekeeper.
Storekeeper's Office, Byculla, 23rd November, 1882.

GREAT INDIAN PENINSULA RAILWAY COMPANY.

THE Agent is prepared to receive at the Company's offices, Elphinstone-circle, up to 1 p.m. (gun-fire) on WEDNESDAY, the 6th December next,

TENDERS for the PURCHASE of any quantity of the following material :—

1,000 superior quality iron wagon axles, weighing about 162 tons.
4,000 best Bessemer steel axles, weighing about 650 tons.
30,000 pieces of superior quality iron tyres, weighing about 817 tons.
And 200 new wagon tyres, 3ft. 1in. outside dia., best iron, weighing about 21 tons
The axles and pieces of tyres are lying at the Loco Depôt, Parel.
And the new tyres at Byculla, where they may be seen on application.

Offers must specify the quantity required of each and the rate per ton weighed over at Warl Bunder.

Delivery will be made by the company into barges to be provided and placed by the purchaser alongside the bunder or wharf.

The Tenders must specify the time within which delivery will be taken of the whole quantity offered for ; and the person whose tender is accepted will be required to pay to the company the price of each lot, before delivery, from time to time ; but the whole quantity must be paid for within the time specified as above in the tender.

The Agent does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

ALFRED KING,
Store Keeper.
Store Keeper's Office, Byculla, 9th October, 1882.

SHIPPING.

THE BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY (LIMITED)

Intend to despatch Steamers as follows :—

FOR LONDON.

S. S. ETHIOPIA, 2,032 Tons, on 20th December, calling at Kurrachee, Aden, Suez, Port Said, and Algiers.

FOR COAST AND CALCUTTA.

S. S. MECCA, 1,450 Tons, on THURSDAY, 7th December, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Ratnagherry, Vingorla, Goa, Carwar, Mangalore, Cannanore, Tellicherry, Calicut, Beypore, Cochin, Alleppey, Tuticorin, Colombo, Negapatam, Madras, Coconada, Vizagapatam, Bimlipatam, Gopaulpore and False Point. Ports are called at in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR KURRACHEE AND PERSIAN GULF.

S. S. PACHUMBA, 867 Tons, on WEDNESDAY, 6th December, 1882, at 4 p. m., calling at Kurrachee, Gwadur, Muscat, Jask, Bunder Abbas, Lingah, Bushire, Fao, and Busreh, in the foregoing or any order, weather permitting.

FOR CUTCH MANDAVIE AND KURRACHEE.

S. S. BURMAH, 1,080 tons, on 10th December, at 10 a.m.

CHRISTMAS HOLIDAYS.

THE steamer leaving Bombay on 21st December, will call off Honore and drop passengers desirous of visiting the Gairsoppa Falls.—The steamer due to arrive in Bombay on 3rd January will also call off Honore to re-embark passengers. Return fare Rs. 65. Servants Rs. 18.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co.,
Bombay, 5th December, 1882. Agents.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

DOUBLE WALL ICE JUGS,

PRESERVE ICE OR ICED DRINKS,
CHAMPAGNE OR CLARET CUP,

At a low temperature for a much longer period than other vessels. The constant use of them is attended with

GREAT CONVENIENCE AND ECONOMY.

Richly plated with silver, in a variety of handsomely chased patterns, from Rs. 25 to Rs. 60.

TREACHER & Co. (Limited.)

LUBIN'S PARIS PERFUMES.

FOR delicacy, richness, and permanence these are superior to all others, Per bottle—Rs. 2 and Rs. 3-8.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

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THOMAS'S

EXTRA RAPID "PALL MALL" PLATES.

		Cash Prices.	
4½ × 3½	per doz.	Rs.	2 4
5 × 4	,, ...	,,	3 4
6½ × 4¾	,, ...	,,	5 0
7½ × 4½	,, ...	,,	5 8
8½ × 6½	,, ...	,,	9 0
9 × 7	,, ...	,,	10 0
10 × 8	,, ...	,,	13 0
12 × 10	,, ...	,,	19 0

Special Terms by the Gross.

Sole agents for the Bombay Presidency,

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

TREACHER & COMPANY'S
SPECIALITE COD-LIVER OIL

prepared from fresh livers and almost entirely free from taste or smell. This oil is of a pale straw colour, and the only kind authorised by the Medical Council, and prescribed by the principal Physicians and Surgeons ; it is taken freely without nausea, or the other unpleasant symptoms which are produced by the brown-coloured oils. In pint bottles, capsuled and labelled with the Company's Trade-mark,

Per bottle Re. 1-2 ; per dozen Rs. 12.

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.,
BOMBAY, BYCULLA, AND POONA.

INDO-AMERICAN TOBACCOS,

SPECIALLY PREPARED from finest selected Virginian Seed Tobacco by professional American manufacturers at the Pusa Tobacco Farms, Tirhoot.

CUT SMOKING MIXTURES.

in ½ lb. and 1 lb. tins.

	Cash Prices.	
Golden Leaf Smoking Mixture...per lb.	Rs.	2 4
Imperial Smoking Mixture.....	,,	2 0
Bright Smoking Mixture ...	,,	1 8
Dark Smoking Mixture ...	,,	1 4

CAVENDISH IN PLUGS.

Oriental (4 sticks to the pound) ...per lb.	Re.	0 12
Regimental (6 sticks to the pound)	,,	0 12

CHEROOTS.

Burmah Shaped.....per box of 100	Rs.	2 0

SOLE AGENTS FOR BOMBAY AND POONA,

TREACHER & COMPANY, Ld.

TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY.

IMPORTANT CAUTION !

WHEREAS for a period extending over many years there has been uninterruptedly sold in the Indian Market a certain blend of Scotch Whisky known to the trade and the public as TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY, each bottle of which bears near the front shoulder a characteristic heart-shaped label with a caution label on the reverse and a Phœnix trade-mark on both labels, as well as on the cork and the mettalic capsule covering the cork, and which Whisky from its high state of purity, rich soft mellowness, and intrinsic worth has met with such general appreciation, and so fully established itself in public favour as to be now familarly known as "Glenlivet," "Treacher's Glenlivet," "Glenlivet Whisky," "Treacher's Whisky," "Treacher's Glenlivet Whisky," and "Heart-Labelled Whisky," the Public are hereby warned and cautioned against accepting as TREACHER'S GLENLIVET WHISKY any brand failing to correspond with the aforenoted particulars.

TREACHER & Co., LIMITED,
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FORMS A PERFECT SUBSTITUTE FOR MOTHER'S MILK.

It is also the best food for the prostrated digestion of Invalids.

Fresh supplies are constantly arriving and good condition guaranteed.

Per bottle, 14 as. and Re. 1-8
Per dozen, Rs. 10-8 and Re. 18.

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SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

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A LARGE ASSORTMENT of these Goods have been received and unpacked. They are the best Instruments of the kind ever imported, and are not affected by wet or wear. They will last a life time.

Single, Rs. 6. Double, Rs. 12.
Smaller sizes for Children cheaper.

KEMP & CO., Limited,
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

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LESSEE AND MANAGER...HERR BANDMANN.
STAGE MANAGER.....MR. AUGUSTUS GLOVER.

LAST NIGHT BUT FOUR OF THE SEASON.

TO-NIGHT, GRAND FASHIONABLE FAREWELL BENEFIT OF MISS

LOUISE BEAUDET.

Sardou's famous comedy in 4 acts, entitled

DIPLOMACY. DIPLOMACY.
DIPLOMACY. DIPLOMACY.
DIPLOMACY. DIPLOMACY

MISS BEAUDET,
HERR BANDMANN,
AND
THE ENTIRE COMPANY WILL APPEAR.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, TO-MORROW

By special desire and for the last time

EAST LYNNE
OR
THE ELOPEMENT.

FRIDAY,

FAREWELL BENEFIT OF THE STAGE MANAGER AND LEADING ACTOR,

AUGUSTUS GLOVER.

In preparation :

OCTOROON—RICHELIEU.

MONDAY :

LAST NIGHT OF THE SEASON.

Prices as usual. Reservation of seats for benefits and other performances at SOUNDY & Co.

CONSIGNEES of 83 square TIMBER and 2,589 pieces, ARRIVED per s. s. WAVERLY from Moulmein, are requested at once to apply for delivery order at the office of the undersigned. The shippers of the above are Messrs. H. Krager and Co.

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CELLULOID
DRESSING COMBS.

SUPERIOR to any hitherto manufactured, and possessing every excellence that ought to distinguish Combs—smooth, strong, and durable.

			Rs.	a.
Amber	Dressing Combs	...each	2	8
Ivory	do. do.	,,	2	4
Tortoiseshell	do. do.	,,	2	4
Do.	do. do. smaller	,,	2	0
Coral	do. do.	,,	2	0
Ivory Moustache	Combs	,,	1	0
Coral	do. do.	,,	1	0
Tortoiseshell	do. do.	,,	1	0
Ivory Tortoiseshell, and Coral	Pocket Riding Combs	,,	1	0

KEMP & CO., Limited.
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SPECIAL EXCELLENCE AND DURABILITY.

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LADIES' WIRE BRUSHES with Bristle Edges. Excellent penetrating brushes but do not tear the hair, the wires being set in India Rubber. A source of the greatest comfort to Ladies having long hair, each	1	8
FINEST BRISTLE TOILET BRUSHES for Ladies or Gentlemen ...per pair	Rs. 2-8 to	9 0
FINEST TOILET BRUSHES, Pairs in Morocco Cases.		
With Handles, in Pull-off cases	12	0
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GENTLEMENS OFFICE BRUSHES. per pair	2	8

KEMP & Co., Limited.
SASSOON HOUSE, BOMBAY.

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This ingenious and useful contrivance consists of a strong Morocco Double Case, containing an enclosed Drinking-cup, a closing Dinner-Knife, a Corkscrew, a closing Fork, a closing Dessert-spoon, a small Cylinder divided into three parts for Salt, Pepper, and Mustard. Cash Price. ... ...Rs. 18 0
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Cooks Chops, Steaks, Fish, Eggs, &c., in Ten Minutes, without the use of Oil, Spirits, or Charcoal. No expense is needed for Fuel, as small pieces of crumpled paper are sufficient to Cook a Chop in Ten Minutes ..Rs. 4 0

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On the same principle as the above, with the addition of a Kettle. Water may be boiled in Three Minutes by the combustion of pieces of crumpled paper. ..Rs. 7 0

COOKING-STOVE'S.

Complete with Stove, Kettle, Saucepan, and Frypan ... ...Rs. 12 0
Medium-sized Stoves with Oven, &c., ...Rs. 20 0
Large Stoves with Oven, &c. .. ..Rs. 30 0

FOLDING CANDLE-LAMP, Rs. 2-8 to Rs. 4.

THE ASHANTEE POCKET-HAMMOCK.

Forms a Luxurious Bed, Couch, or Seat. It supports every part of the body evenly and completely, and the rest in it is surprisingly enjoyable and refreshing. From .. ..Rs. 12 0

POCKET-FILTER.

As supplied to every soldier in the Abyssinian Army and the Ashantee Expedition. Each Filter in neat flat case, about 2¾ in. diameter by about 1½ in. in thickness ; weight about 8 ounces. Complete in case, with cord to hang over the shoulder, Price Rs. 4

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LEATHER-COVERED BRANDY-FLASKS, WITH SCREW-TOP, AND METAL DRINKING-CUP.

½ pint size .....Rs. 1 8 | 1 pint size .....Rs. 2 8
¼ ,, ... ,, 2 0 | 1½ ,, ... ,, 3 0

ARMY AND NAVY DRINKING-CUPS.

Which consist of a Tumbler and of a Wine and Champagne Cup combined. The combined Cup fits compactly into the Tumbler, and is richly electro-silvered and plated on Nickel-Silver, with engine-turned body and richly gilt inside. Cash price ... ...Rs. 35 0

Britannia Metal, Silver-plated.....Rs. 1 4 0
Folding Cup, each Rs. 2 and ..... ,, 5 0
Electro-plated ½ pint Mug..... ,, 3 8
Nest of Drinking-cups..... ,, 20 0

FANS IN GREAT VARIETY, from Re. 1.

PLAYING-CARDS, from ...Rs. 1-8 per pack.

MAGIC INKSTAND, produces ink instantly by the addition of a little water, from Re. 1.

ENAMELLED WARE.

Cups and Saucers.....Rs. 3 8
Plate 9 in's diameter..... ,, 1 0
,, 8 ,, ... ,, 0 12

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BEG to draw attention to their new and splendid consignment of

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GENTLEMEN'S HUNTING OR CRYSTAL-FACED KEYLESS LEVER WATCHES IN HEAVY 18 CARAT GOLD CASES WITH COMPENSATION BALANCE WHEEL ...Rs. 250, 275, 300.

The same of the FINEST and STRONGEST make ... ... ,, 350, 380, 400, 425

FULL CHRONOMETER AND CHRONOGRAPH WATCHES... ,, 390, 450, 500, 550

These watches have been tested in a lighted stove and also under freezing point and their maximum variation is LESS than thirty seconds PER MONTH IN ANY TEMPERATURE.

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43, Rampart-row, BOMBAY.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

MR. LUND, of LUND and BLOCKLEY, Watch and Clock-makers to the Empress and the Government of India, 12, Pall Mall, London, is now in Bombay superintending the erection of the new clock in the University Tower.

Samples of the watches and clocks of his Firm's workmanship may be seen at his offices. LATHAM and Co.'s, *Times of India* buildings, Elphinstone-circle.

FOR SALE, HOWARD'S GENUINE SULPHATE of QUININE in 1 oz. vials, price Rs. 7 per vial. Liberal discount allowed to wholesale buyers.

WARDEN & Co.
35, Meadow-street, Fort.

SALVATION ARMY.

HINDEE THEATRE, corner of Grant and Falkland Roads.—Meetings EVERY EVENING at 5 p.m.

SALVATION TENT, Crawford Market.—Meetings daily at 7-30 a.m. and 8 p.m.

MAJOR TUCKER.
Head-quarters, Salvation Army, Bombay.

SPECIAL SHORT ADVERTISEMENTS.

The scale for these Advertisements is as follows :—Not exceeding 3 lines, Re. 1 ; each succeeding line, As. 8. No trade advertisements are admitted under this scale.

SINGER'S GENUINE SEWING MACHINES have obtained numerous awards of every conceivable kind including 150 first-class medals, diplomas of honour, cups, and other trophies. Facsimiles of these can be seen at No. 2, Church-gate-street, Bombay.

BOGNOR, SUSSEX.—A happy Home for Children with a mother's care. Terms, including Board, English, French, Music, Dancing, Calisthenics and Laundress, fifty guineas per annum. References in India to Parents of Children now in the school. For Prospectus apply to HAMILTON'S HOTEL, Bombay.

FOR particulars regarding SINGER MANUFACTURING Co., 2, Church-gate-street.

WANTED, two good SURVEYORS for Railway work. Apply to Mr. LINDSLEY, Adelphi Hotel, Byculla.

O. K. BRAND TRICHINOPOLY CHEROOTS.—B. PHILLIPS and Co. have received a consignment.—17, Church-gate-street.

WANTED, immediately a CERTIFICATED MATE for the Barquentine SPEEDWELL. Apply to Capt. BREBNER, Shipping Office.

WANTED, a HEAD BUTLER, one that can slightly write. Salary Rs. 18, and a Marker salary Rs. 15. Apply Royal Hotel, Mazagon.

PER s.s. ROME.—Mrs. COUNSELL, Clare-road, Byculla, just received New Millinery, Muslins, Senah Silks, Hosiery, the new Sailor-shaped Hats, &c., &c.

WANTED, a good CAMERA and LENSE for Landscape Photography, must be in good condition. Apply per letter to DRY PLATES, care of *B.G.*

"LODGE PERSEVERANCE" No. 351 S. C.—Brethren are informed that the meeting called for 8th Dec. is POSTPONED to WEDNESDAY, 13th Idem.

"THE CRITERION" RESTAURANT.—American Drinks and Ice-creams of every description, Wines-Spirits, &c., &c. Note the Addres.—No. 23, Rampart, row.

PHOSPO the PIONEER of NON-ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGES recuperates body and mind. Prepared at the branch PHARMACY of B. PHILLIPS and Co. 17, Church Gate-street.

NOTICE.—MESSRS. MORGAN AND BALKRISHNA will submit to PUBLIC AUCTION on SATURDAY, the 9th instant, at Poona, several half-bred ENGLISH COWS and BULLS, the property of Captain HENDERSON.

INDIAN TOYS, INDIAN TOYS, INDIAN TOYS.—PESTONJEE SORABJEE & Co.

PER Steamer ROME.—IVORITE 'XMAS CARDS, BIRTHDAY CARDS, WEDDING CARDS, all latest novelties.—PESTONJEE SORABJEE & Co.

PHOTO and MUSIC ALBUMS, Mechanical Toys, Scrap Album's, Pictures, and Fancy 'Xmas presents.—PESTONJEE SORABJEE & Co.

FANCY SWEETS, BONBONS, RUSSIAN TORPEDOES, CHINA PRESERVERS.—PESTONJEE SORABJEE & Co., No. 33, Meadow-street.

WANTED, a MOONSHI to teach Hindustani. Apply to "L. Balchen," Hamilton's Hotel, Mazagon.

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COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE

TUESDAY EVENING, DEC. 5.

A PAYMENT of £100,000 into the Bank of England is reported, and although Reuter makes no change in rates of discount, private advices seem rather in favour of easier money. Consols come ⅛ higher at 101¼, French Rentes ⅛ higher at 115. The 3½ per cent. Indian Sterling Loan is ⅛ up at 100 ⅛ ex.-div. ; but Rupee Paper comes ⅛ lower, and Indian Exchange Bank shares show a decline of 10s. per share all round. There is no change made in Bar Silver, but these latter movements in securities connected with Silver are to some extent suspicious.

The London markets for Seeds and Wheat are easier all round. Metals are unchanged.

Cotton in Liverpool comes quiet, the day's sales yesterday being 10,000 bales, of which 1,000 were Surats. Americans on the spot are unchanged, but arrivals are 1-64d. lower, and Surats on the spot 1-16d. down all round. In New York the quotation for ready Cotton is reduced 1-16 cent, and for April shipment 2 points. The receipts at the ports continue heavy, the following being the comparison with the two previous seasons :—

	1882.	1881.	1880.
Two days' Receipts.....	51,000	54,000	64,000
Three days' do.	82,000	88,000	94,000
Total since 1st Sept.	2,504,000	2,345,000	2,610,000

EXCHANGE to-day has been quiet in the extreme. The Banks have been buyers of ready bills at the lowest point touched yesterday, 1s. 7 25-32d. for 3 months' Credits ; but even at that there has been no amount of paper offering, and transactions reach but a small total. Opinions as to the probable result of to-morrow's biddings for Council drafts are very various, but at the moment, we are inclined to think, the majority of people expect a reduction in the previous week's average. For ready bills we quote :—

Bank Bills on demand ..	1s. 7 9-16d.	per rupee.
Do. Telegraphic ...	1s. 7 ⅛	,,
Do. 3 months' sight..	1s. 7 11-16d.	,,
Credits, 3 ,, ,, ..	1s. 7 25-32d.	,,
Francs. 3 ,, ,, ..	2 26 ½	,,

On Calcutta rates have receded to 3-32 premium for demand and 11-16 discount for 60 days' sight.

GOVERNMENT PAPER is steady but not active at yesterday's figures, say Rs. 99 15-16 for Fours and Rs. 106¼ for Fours-and-a-half.

SHARES are still dull, and in anticipation of an increase in the Bank of Bombay's rates of discount to-morrow, an expectation of lower rates prevails. Bank of Bombays are Rs. 2½ lower at Rs. 782½. In Press shares Berars are Rs. 5, New Indian Rs. 2½ higher. Spinning and Weaving Companies are dull, and generally Rs. 5 lower, the prospects of the industry at the moment being somewhat less favourable, owing to the limited demand existing for goods and yarns. Bombay-Burmah Trading Corporation shares are Rs. 15 higher. Telephone Company have receded to Rs. 2½, or 10 per cent. discount.

COTTON to-day has been quiet. Owing to the tone of the home advices, buyers have been endeavouring to establish a decline of Re. 1 to Rs. 2 per candy, but unsuccessfully, sellers, as a rule, still holding for previous quotations. A rather active demand prevails for New Omras for early delivery, and very full rates are being offered, but the rains of ten days ago have evidently thrown the crop a good fortnight later, and only very limited supplies are coming into the district markets, where prices in some cases rule from Rs. 7 to Rs. 10 over Bombay quotations. This state of things, of course, cannot last long, but the effect in the meantime is bad, as the present firmness up-country will only be got rid of by very slow degrees, practically not at all until an actual pressure of supplies induces more free selling.

SEEDS and WHEAT are still unchanged as regards rupee rates.

FREIGHTS keep dull as regards the extent of business doing, although tonnage is scarce and holders of it very firm. For Liverpool rates are irregular at 22s. 6d. to 23s. 9d. for Wheat, and 26s. 3d. for measurement. Steamers for this or next month's loading are in request, and full rates would be paid. A wooden ship is reported fixed for March-April loading, United Kingdom or Continent, at 40s., with concessions.

PIECE-GOODS are rather quieter, if anything, and the tendency is distinctly more in favour of selling than buying. Holders, however, adhere to previous quotations.

COALS are steady at hardening rates, especially for distant loading. A Cape cargo of Davison's West Hartley, shortly due, has been sold at Rs. 16-6 per ton alongside.

BOMBAY BILL AND STOCK LISTS.

BANKS.

	Shares.	Amt	Paid up.	Last Dividend.	Cash Rates.
INDIA BANKS.		Rs.	Rs.		Rs.
Bank of Bombay	20,000	500	[illegible]	75 p.c.	782½
Bank of Bengal	42,000	500	[illegible]	8 ,,	810
Bank of Madras	10,000	500	[illegible]	4 do.	675nl
EXCHANGE BANKS.		£	£		
Agra Bank	10,000	100	all	3 do.	120

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

THE steamer Avoca, 904 tons, Captain C. J. O. Ringheim, sailed yesterday for Jeddah via Zanzibar, with a general cargo, and four deck passengers.

THE steamer Waverly, 2,022 tons, Captain R. Calvert, arrived in harbour on the 4th instant from Moulmein (24th Nov.), with a cargo of timber. The vessel is consigned to Messrs. Killick Nixon and Co.

THE B. I. S. N. Co's steamer Goa, 1,231 tons, Captain T. H. Frank, sailed yesterday for London via Kurrachee, with a general cargo and Mr. Eduljee Dinshaw and servant, and Mr. A. Macdonald, as a passenger for Kurrachee.

ARRIVALS.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	From
4	Waverly (s)	Calvert	Moulmein, Nov. 24.
5	Caffila (s)	Pound	Cape.

DEPARTURES.

Dec.	Vessels.	Commander.	Destination.
4	Rome (s)	Cates	Ch na.
5	Yvoca (s).....	Ringhelm	Zanzibar, &c.
	Goa (s)	Franks	London, &c.

The following vessels were entered for loading yesterday :—

Steamer Gwallior, to London, &c.
Steamer Venetia, to Trieste, &c.
Steamer Pachamba, to Persian Gulf.
Steamer Clan Gordon, to London.

DAILY IMPORTS.—DECEMBER 5.

FROM GLASSGOW.

Clan Graham (s)—30 cases rum and 50 cases whiskey, Sorabjee Cowasjee ; 40 cases ginger wine, 215 cases whiskey, 35 cases rum and 15 cases brandy, Dhunjeebhoy Cowasjee ; 1 hogshead whiskey, Green and Read.

FROM LIVERPOOL.

Bretton Hall (s)—15 cases whiskey, Bolton and Co.
Clan Graham (s)—2 crates earthenware and 1 cask plaster work, Nanjee Canjee ; 14 packages sewing machines, H. A. Geyer and Co.

FROM LONDON.

Rome (s)—5 hogsheads claret, Cutler Palmer and Co ; 15 cases brandy and 45 cases wine, Bolton and Co ; 15 cases old tom, Eduljee Bazonjee.
Bedford (s)—100 casks ale, Cutler Palmer and Co.

FROM MARSEILLES.

China (s) 50 cases sardines, Meiffre Neveu.

FROM TRIESTE.

Helios (s)—5 cases glassware, Hassum Ahmed.

FROM BORDEAUX.

Singapore (s)—9 cases brandy, D. P. Batha and Co.

DAILY EXPORTS.—DECEMBER 5.

FOR LIVERPOOL

Wistow Hall (s)—85 bales cotton, Oomersey Nagsee and 41 bales cotton, Mooljee Veljee and Co ; 114 bales cotton, Rowjee Jootha ; 35 bales wool, Merally Canjee ; 12 bales cotton and 38 bales wool, Bhimjee Munjee and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Doongersee Dewjee ; 60 bales wool, Pragjee Toolseedass ; 27 bales cotton, Mahamedally Cazrany ; 80 bales wool, Nuthoo Lalljee ; 100 bales wool, Gooculdass Toolseedass ; 50 bales wool, P. Khan Mahomed ; 2,000 cwts wheat, Jewandass Madhowdass ; 1121 cwts wheat, Dewjee Bhanjee ; 4,000 cwts wheat, F. Masotti and Co ; 122 bales wool, Jamal Laddoo.

FOR LONDON.

Gwalior (s)—1,008 cwts wheat, Killick Nixon and Co ; 339 cwts horns, Geo. Lockhart and Co.
Goa (s)—14 bales skins, Thos. H. Moore and Co.

FOR ODESSA.

Pandora (s)—200 bales cotton, Volkart Brothers ; 10 bales cotton, Gaddum and Co.

FOR MALTA.

Wistow Hall (s)—8,000 cwts wheat, M. Spileri and Co.

FOR ANTWERP.

Hampshire (s)—2,338 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co.
Knight of the Bath (s)—100 bales cotton and 1,484 cwts rapeseed Killick Nixon and Co ; 264 cwts gingelly-seed, Volkart Brothers.

FOR HULL.

Irish (s)—20,000 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.

FOR GIBRALTAR.

Hampshire (s)—3,976 cwts wheat, Lang Moir and Co.
Gwalior (s)—5,999 cwts wheat, Volkart Brothers.

FOR TRIESTE.

Pandora (s)—31 pots rosa oil, E. L. Moolchund.

FOR VENICE.

Pandora (s)—983½ cwts castorseed, R. Lupi and Co ; 100 bales cotton, Killick, Nixon and Co.

FOR MARSEILLES.

Manilla (s)—41,057 cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers; 525 cwts wheat, Dewjee Bhanjee.
Caseapedia (s)—12,09[illegible] cwts wheat, Ralli Brothers.
Clan Graham (s)—2,000 cwts wheat, Lalljee Poonsee and Co.

FOR GENOA.

Manilla (s)—200 bales cotton, A. Biascheck and Co; 100 [illegible] bales cotton, Alcese[illegible] d Co.

FOR SUEZ.

Pandora (s)—11 pots rosa oil, Woomerbhoy Chandabhoy.
Mo[illegible]a (s)—89 bales cotton, Rangopali Foolchund; 124 bales cotton, Jairam Damjee.

FOR HONGKONG.

[illegible]ller (s)—31 cwt cloves, Dewraj Peerbhoy; 1 cwt [illegible] feathers and 54 cwts Cambay stones, M. M. Abdool Kader ; 59 bales cotton, Oomersey Nagsee and Co.

MILITARY INTELLIGENCE.

ARRIVALS.—DECEMBER 1.

Chance, Lieut., R. A., on duty, from Kirkee.

DECEMBER 3.

Lowry, Lieut., W. Yorkshire, on duty, from Ahmednuggur.

DECEMBER 4.

Fraser, Dy. Surg. Genl., off duty, from Bhooj.
Jameson, Col., 25th Bombay N. L. I., on leave, from Bhooj.
Stuart, Col., 7th Bombay N. I., on leave, from Thull Chotial.

DEPARTURES.—DECEMBER 5.

Sturt, Col., 7th Bombay N. I., from leave, to Thull Chotial.

BOMBAY VOLUNTEER RIFLE CORPS.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS

By Lieut.-Col. Comdt. W. S. HEWETT, B. V. R. C.

Bombay, December 6.

There will be Company Drill for E. Company at the Oval near the Bandstand on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays at 6-30 a. m. (Bombay time), and at the J. J. Hospital on Tuesdays and Fridays at 5. p. m. (Bombay time), until further orders. Members of other companies are requested to attend at the above places for Company Drill.

"C." Company will parade for Position Drill at the Oval near the Bandstand every day until further orders at 6-30 a. m. and 5. p. m. (Bombay time).

"B." Company will commence class firing on Thursday next, the 7th inst. All members going to class fire who are at the Boree-bunder Station at 5-20 a. m. and at Byculla Station at 5-30 a. m. (Bombay time) will have their fares paid to Coorla and back ; those coming after will have to pay their own fare. Members of E. Company who have not completed their class firing are requested to do so with "B." Company.

The Regiment will parade under the Adjutant on Saturday next, the 9th inst. Fall in at the Town Hall at 4-15 p.m. sharp (Bombay time). Red uniform with helmets, arms and accoutrements to be worn. Members who are at the Pum terminus at Byculla, Grant-road, Girgaum and Colaba at 3-45 p. m. (Bombay time) will have their fares paid ; also those members who are met on the road will be supplied with tickets. Members who defray their own tram expenses can have the amount refunded by applying for the same after parade. Company and Battalion Drill will be practised. In Company Drill, Sections 9 to 18 of Part II of the Field Exercise will be practised ; and in Battalion Exercise, Part III Sections 4 to 8. All members are requested to read up these Sections before coming on parade.

The following members having joined are taken on the strength of the Corps from this date and posted to Companies as follows:—Vol. J. De Costa, to D. Company ; J. Glaney, J. O. Neil, C. W. Lacey, A. Wardley, F. De Souza, R. Ellis, and J. Smith, to H. Company.

Vol. J. F. Mirza, D. Company, is granted leave for one month from this date to proceed to Karachi.

By order,
A. W. PROUDFOOT,
Capt. and Adjt., B. V. R. C.

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ORDERS.

Gazette of India. Nov. 18.)

LEGISLATIVE DEPARTMENT.

H. E. the Viceroy and Govr. Genl. has been pleased to accept the resignation by the Hon'ble W. C. Plowden of his office of Additional Member of the Council of the Govr. Genl. for the purpose of making Laws and Regulations, from 10th inst.

Mr. W. F. Agnew, Reporter for the Indian Law Reports in the High Court, Calcutta, has been appointed from 29th ultimo, to officiate as Chief Reporter and Reporter for the period during which Mr. J. V. Woodman may be officiating as Depy. Secy. to the Govt. of India, Legislative Dept.

Mr. T. A. Pearson has been granted leave of absence for three months from his office of Reporter for the Indian Law Reports in the High Court, Calcutta, from 20th ult.

Mr. H. T. Hyde, Barrister-at-law, has been appointed to officiate as Reporter for the Indian Law Reports in the High Court, Calcutta, from 29th ult.

Mr. C. E. Fox, Barrister-at-Law, has been appointed to officiate as Reporter for the Indian Law Reports in the High Court, Calcutta, from 29th ult.

ESTABLISHMENTS.

Mr. H. G. Keene is permitted to resign H. M.'s Ben. C. S., with effect from the 4th Oct. 1882.

AGENT, GOVERNOR GENERAL AND CHIEF COMMISSIONER RAJPUTANA P. W. D.

Mr. C. F. Gilbert, Asst. Engr., 1st Grade, passed, on 6th Nov. the Lower Standard Examination in Hindustani.

SURVEY OF INDIA, REVENUE BRANCH.

Mr. Edwin James Jackson, Asst. Supdt., 1st Grade, Survey of India, passed, at Rangoon, on 21st Octr., an examination in Hindustani by the 2nd or Higher Standard.

The services of Mr. A. E. C. Bolst, a Dist Supt. of Police in Bengal, are placed at the disposal of the Chief Commissioner of Assam.

ECCLESIASTICAL.

The Rev. W. Ulyat, B. A., a Jr. Chaplain on the Bengal Estabt., reported his arrival at Calcutta on 22nd inst.

The Rev. M. E. Mills, Chaplain of Mhow, is granted furlough for one year and fifteen days, from 15th prox., together with subsidiary leave from 11th idem.

The following Jr. Chaplains on the Bengal Estabt. to be Sr. Chaplains, with effect from the dates specified opposite their names :—

The Rev. G. T. Dennis, M. A., 14th Oct. 1882 ; the Rev. S. B. Taylor, M.A., 21st Nov. 1882 ; and the Rev. B. Hammond, M. A., 17th Dec. 1882.

FOREIGN DEPARTMENT.

Major J. R. McK. Homfray, Genl. List, Infy., Boundary Settlt. Officer in Bundelcund, and ex-officio Asst. to the Pol. Agent in Bundelcund, is granted six months' leave in India, on medical certificate.

Capt T. Hope, Bo. S. C., Political Asst., 1st Class, Offr. Pol. Agent, 3rd Class, and Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India in the Foreign Dept. is granted three months' privilege leave, from 28th Nov.

Mr. A. H. T. Martindale, M. C. S., is appointed to officiate as Asst. Secy. to the Govt. of India in the Foreign Dept. from 28th Nov. during the absence on privilege leave of Capt. T. Hope.

JUDICIAL.

Lieut. C. Herbert, Offr. Asst to the Agent to the Operations for the Suppression of Thagi and Dakaiti in Lower Rajputana.

Mr. T. H. S. Biddulph assumed charge of his duties as Asst. Acct. Genl., N.-W. Provinces and Oudh, before noon, on the 24th Nov. 1882.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.

The undermentioned officers, appointed by the Secy. of State probationers for the I. S. C., are placed at the disposal of the Govt. of Madras in view to their appointment to the S. C. of that Presidency, with effect from the date of their arrival in India :—

Lieut. H. D. McIntyre, Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders.
Lieut. H. J. Bremner, Royal Munster Fusiliers.

FURLOUGH AND LEAVE.

The undermentioned officers are granted furlough out of India, with the necessary subsidiary leave :—

Lieut., Lt.-Col. B. Smith, Ben. S.C., Consy.-Genl., 1st class, (p. a.) for one year and 83 days, Capt. F. F. F. Roupell, East Surrey Regt. Depy.-Asst Adjt.-Genl. for Musketry on the establishment, (m. c.) for 182 days, and Lieut. F. S. Gwatkin, Bengal S.C., Squad Officer and Adjt., 13th Bengal Lancers, (p.a.) for one year.

Capt. (Bt. Lieut.-Col.) A. W. Capel, late 5th European Light. Cavy., is granted furlough Pay, for four days, from 9th October, in extension of that allowed in G. G. O. No. 100 of 1881.

The undermentioned officers have been granted extensions of furlough by the Rt. Hon'ble the Secy. of State for India :—

Lieut.-Col. (Bt. Col.) G. C. DePree, Bengal S. C., (p.a.) for one month. Lieut.-Col. A. Stewart, Bengal S.C., (p.a.) for forty-five days. Lieut.-Col. A. Copland C.B., Bengal S.C., (p.a.) for seven days. Lieut.-Col. A. Vivian, Bengal S.C. (u.p.a.) without pay, for two months. Major (Bt. Lieut.-Col.) Sir B. C. St. John, K.C.S.I., R.E., (p.a.) for seven days. Capt. R. F. Moore, R.E. (p.a.) for sixty-two days. Capt. M. A. Gray, Bengal S.C., p.a. for 183 days., and Surgn. F. J. Tuohy, M.D., (m.c.) for six months.

Under the provisions of Royal Warrant of 10th Nov., the names of the undermentioned officers of the I. S. C. are placed on the Indian Gradation List as specified :—

Major-Genl. (Lieut.-Genl.) Sir R.Phayre, K.C.B., Bombay, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Genls.

Col. (Major-Genl.) Sir H. T. Macpherson, K.C.B., V.C., Bengal, is placed on the list of Major-Genls.

Major (Lieut.-Col.) T. R. Davidson, Bengal, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Cols. in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry List of Lieut.-Genl. Sir H. Daly K.C.B., C.I.E., on 1st July 1882.

Major-Genl. (Lieut.-Genl.) A. W. Lucas, C. B., Bombay, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Genls., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry. List of Lieut.-Genl, Sir D. M. Probyn, K.C.S.I., C.B., V.C., Bengal Cavy., on 1st July 1882.

Major-Genl. (Lieut.-Genl.) H. H. A. Wood, C.B., Bombay, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Genls.

Col. (Major-Genl.) W. Gordon, C.I.E., Bengal, is placed on the list of Major-Genls., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry List of Lieut.-Genl. the Hon.'ble Sir H. Ramsay, K.C.S.I., C. B., Bengal S.C., on 1st July 1882.

Major-Genl. (Lieut.-Genl.) F. A. E. Loch, C. B., Bombay, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Genls.

Col. C. L. Montgomery, Bengal, is placed on the list of Major-Gels.

Major (Lieut.-Col.) A. L. Playfair, Bengal, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Cols., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supmry. List of Lieut.-Genl. D. Brown, Madras Infy., on 1st July, 1882.

Col. E. F. Waterman, Madras, is placed on the list of Major-Genls., Major (Lieut.-Col.) J. B. Leggett, Madras, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Colls., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry. List of Major-Genl. W. C. Anderson, C.I.E., Bom. S.C., on 1st July, 1882.

Col. F. Schmider, Bombay, is placed on the list of Major-Genls., Major (Lieut.-Col.) E. H. Thomas, Madras, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Colls., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry List of Major-Genl. J. M. Cripps, Ben. S.C., on 1st July, 1882.

Col. G. B. Mainwaring, Bengal, is placed on the list of Major-Gels.

Major the Hon'ble R. W. Napier, Bengal, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Cols., in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry. List of Major-Genl. R.D. Ardagh, Madras S.C., on the 1st July, 1882.

Col. W. E. White, Madras, is placed on the list of Major-Genls. Major (Lieut-Col.) J. Macdougall, Madras, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Col. in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry List of Major-Genl. Sir. L. Pelly, K. C. B. K. C. S. I., Bomy. S.C. on the 1st July, 1882.

Major-Genl. (Lieut-Genl.) F. G. Kempster, Madras, is placed on the list of Lieut.-Genls. in consequence of the transfer to the Unemployed Supnmry List of Lieut.-Genl. C. Cooke, Mad. S. C., on the 1st Octr., 1882.

The following promotions are made subject to H. M's. approval :—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Captains.—Lieut. A. Masters, 30th Nov., Lieut. F. D. Welchman, 30th Nov. and Lieut. C. G. B. Hervey, 30th Nov.

BREVT.

To be Lieut.-Cols.—Major H. A. Shakes-pear, Ben. Cavy., in succession to Lieut.-Genl. the Hon'ble Sir H. Ramsay, K. C. S. I., C. B., Ben. S.C., transferred to the Unemployed Supnmry. List. Dated 1st July, 1882, and Major C. C. Morris, Mad. Cavy., in succession to Lieut.-Genl. C. Cooke, Mad. S.C., transferred to the Unemployed Supnmry. List. Dated 1st Oct.

The promotion of Major H. P. Peacock, Ben. Cavy., to the rank Lieut.-Col. by brevet, is antedated to 1st July, 1882, in succession to Lieut.-Genl. Sir D. M. Probyn, K.C.S.I., C.B., V.C., Ben. Cavy., transferred to the Unemployed Supnmy. List, subject to H. M.'s approval.

Native Army.—9th Bengal Cavalry.—Jemadar Mana Singh to be Woordie-Major vice Dillawur Ally, invalided ; Kote-Duffadar Lall Singh to be Jemadar, vice Mana Singh, promoted,—19th August, 1881.

Depy. Surgn.-Genl. A. C. sC. DeRenzy, C.B., is permitted to retire from the service from 9th Dec., subject to H. M.'s approval.

It is hereby announced that, on the recommendation of the Govt. of India, H. M.'s Govt. has been pleased to confer a good service pension on the undermentioned officer, with effect from the date specified :—

From the 7th April, 1882, in room of Lieut.-Genl. F. A. E. Loch, C.B., Bom. S.C., succeeded to the Col.'s allowance, on Col. (Bgdr.-Genl.) A. Carnegy, Bom. S. C.

MADRAS ARMY ORDERS.

Adjutant-General's Office, Madras, Nov. 30.

Surg.-Major C. Healy, A. M. D., will proceed to England by the troopship leaving Bombay on or about the 27th Dec. and report his arrival to the Dr.-Genl., A. Ml. D. Surgn-Major Healy will proceed to Deolalee and report himself to the Senior Medical Officer there not later than 24th Dec., for duty on boardship.

Major S. E. Atkinson, S. C., Wing Comdr., 5th Regt. N. I., who has been brought on the Bgde. Staff as Dy. Asst. Qr.-mr.-Genl., is posted to the Eastern Dist.

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES ORDERS

(North-Western Provinces Gazette.)

Her Majesty has been pleased to appoint the Hon'ble William Tyrrell of the B. C. S. to be a Puisne Judge of the High Court of Judicature for the N. W. P.

PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT.

Col. G. A. Craster, R. E., Supdtg. Engr., Class I, Provincial Works, N.-W. P. and Oudh, who reported his return from the furlough granted in Govt. of India, Mily Dept., Notification No. 527, dated 17th Sept. 1880, on the forenoon of the 22nd Nov. 1882, is posted to the charge of the 3rd Circle, Provincial Works, N.-W.P. and Oudh, which he joined on the same date.

The following reversions and postings are ordered from the date on which Col. Craster assumed charge of the 3rd Circle, Provincial Works, N.-W. P. and Oudh :—

Mr. F. B. Henslowe, M. I. C. E., Supdt. of Works, 3rd Circle, will cease to hold the position of Supdt. of Works and be temporarily attached on special duty to the office of the Chief Engr. Buildings and Roads Branch, N.-W. P. and Oudh, until further orders.

Lieut.-Col. F. D. M. Brown, V. C., S. C., Offg. Supdtg. Engr. 2nd Circle, Provincial Works N.-W. P. and Oudh, to revert to his substantive rank of Ex. Engr., 1st Grade, and to hold the position of Supdt. of Works during his employment in charge of the 2nd Circle of Superintendence or till further orders.

The following reversion in the Engrg. Estabt. is hereby ordered from the date specified :—

Mr. A. B. Simeon, from Ex. Engr., 4th Grade (temporary rank), to Assist Engr, 1st Grade 22nd Nov 1882. Lieut-Col Brown's reversion consequent on Col Craster's return from furlough.

Capt. H. A. Yorke, R.E., on return from the 3 months' privilege leave granted him, resumed charge of the Agra Div. from Mr. J. H. Ivens.

Sergeant A Learmouth, Supervisor, officiated as Ex. Engr. of the Archæological Div during the absence on privilege leave of Mr. W. F. Heath Ex. Engr.

Mr. H. C. E. Vernon, Ex. Engr, 4th Grade (temporary rank), is transferred from the Allahabad Provincial Div to the Rohilkhand Provincial Div. and posted to the Moradabad Sub-division, vice Mr. A. R. Sutherland, whose services have been placed temporarily at the disposal of the Engr-in-Chief, Provincial Railways, N W P and Oudh, in Notification No. C. 1480E. of 21st Nov 1882.

The following promotions in the Engrg. Establt of the Buildings and Roads Branch are made from 1st Dec. 1882 :—

Mr. W. P. Housden, Allahabad Ex. Div, Asst. Engr, 3rd Grade, is promoted to Asst. Engr, 2nd Grade, permanent.

Mr. J W L Toozs, Benares Ex. Div. Asst. Engr 3rd Grade, is promoted to Asst. Engr, 2nd Grade, permanent.

SURGEON DENTIST.

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ON THURSDAY, the 7th instant, at 5-30 P. M. (Bombay time), at the Framji Cowasji Institute, the THEOSOPHICAL SOCIETY will CELEBRATE its SEVENTH ANNIVERSARY. Delegates from the Society's Branches in Bengal, Madras, the N.-W. P. and Oudh, the Deccan, the Panjab, Guzerat, Kathiawar, Ceylon, and other districts will be present and address the meeting.

DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE.

THE CHARGE FOR NOTIFYING A DOMESTIC OCCURRENCE IS TWO RUPEES. THE ANNOUNCEMENT MUST BE AUTHENTICATED.]

BOMBAY.

BIRTH.

MOUNTFORT—December 4, at Nasik, the wife of the Rev. C. Mountfort, C. M. S. of a daughter.

BALY—December 1, at Ahmednagar, Lieutenant H. J. Baly, Royal Artillery, aged 25 years.

OTHER PRESIDENCIES.

BIRTH.

FURLONG—November 29, at Lahore, the wife of Mr. Henry Furlong, of a daughter.

ALL MONEY ORDERS, CHEQUES, and other Remittances sent to this office should be made payable to the Proprietor of the *Bombay Gazette*.

The Bombay Gazette

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 6, 1882.

A LETTER published by our Allahabad contemporary, over the well-known initials " A. O. H.," calls attention to a matter which has been treated somewhat lightly in the otherwise comprehensive discussions on local self-government. This is the connection between executive officers and the police, which, if maintained, must interfere seriously with the development of a spirit of independence among the population. Quoting from the letter of a gentleman whom he describes as " one of the most eminent leaders of thought in Bengal," Mr. Hume says : " You are aware that in this country the police is the centre of power, and so long as the district officer is to be at the same time head of the district police, so long will he continue the *despotes* of his district, and *real* self-government remain impossible." We think the above sentence contains the essence of what is probably the most important consideration in connection with this great question. In saying so we do not seek to minimise the importance of popular election, non-official chairmen, freedom in the disposal of substantial funds, and such like. But in a country like India, no matter how popularly the local authority may be devised, the substance of power is pretty certain to remain with the department which controls the police. When a bureaucracy is called on to organise a system of popular local government, the tendency ; is to confer on the people all the outward forms of liberty, and retain in the hands of the Executive a lever which may render them all nugatory. We say this is the natural tendency ; and if it were to be exhibited in India, it might very possibly be due as much to the influence of circumstances as to design on the part of existing officers. It seems hardly necessary to explain the influences which may in this country be exercised by an official possessing the command of the police force, and through it controlling the machinery of the criminal law. We have had even in Bombay, with all the publicity which surrounds the acts of officials, an illustration of the influence which may be exerted in the most enlightened community in the Presidency by a chief of police. It was not that anything tangible could be alleged against the police force, indeed nothing was even suggested, but the presence of the chief police officer exercised a sort of stifling influence over the free expression of opinion. It is nothing to the purpose to say that this is ignorance or superstition, or what not. It exists, and so long as it does exist, it must be taken into consideration, if we desire to instil confidence into the native mind of the sincerity of our efforts to make them a self-reliant and self-governing people.

The separation of the Administrative, the Judicial, and the peace-preserving branches of the public service is a proposition which demands weighty consideration. No one will dispute that such a separation is desirable. Indeed, it is the corollary of enlightened government. But the responsibility of entrusting a semi-civilised community with the control of its own police is one which no Government would rashly incur. This consideration may be held to operate on the official mind, as well as the excusable desire to retain for itself the whip-hand of local autonomy. It must be confessed that in India the problem cannot be approached without considerable misgivings. In England, at this moment, the police authorities are continually exhibiting a tendency to encroach on the rights of local popular control. But in England there is no central police organisation, beyond a loose supervision exercised by the Home Secretary. The largest organisation is that of the county, under the control of the magistrates in quarter sessions, though, of course, all the larger boroughs, and some of the small, possess their own municipal police. In spite of this, however, the strings around the local organisations are being sensibly drawn closer, and all are being centralised in the Home Office. As a prize for the maintenance of efficiency Government make allowances to forces up to a certain standard, and by this means obtain more or less control over them. This control was made more effective by an increase of the Imperial contribution during the late Conservative administration. But in this evident centralising it must not be supposed there is an insidious design to overturn local self-government in England. There is nothing of the sort. All that is intended is to obtain that amount of co-operation among the various forces which will secure a reasonable efficiency in the detection of crime. That the steps of the Imperial Government have been so keenly scrutinised proves the jealousy with which the English people guard their local privileges, rather than any positive danger in the policy of the Home Office. In India the circumstances are totally different. Mr. Hume observes : " That some change in our existing arrangements is desirable in the interests of the people no one who is at all behind the scenes, and has any cognizance of the mass of petty oppression, extortion, and wrong of all kinds that clings to and clogs (like the clay from a new-ploughed field) the feet of our would-be enlightened administration, can for a moment doubt."

While thus picturing the evils of associating the control of the police with the exercise of ordinary administrative functions, Mr. Hume does not hesitate to acknowledge the difficulties in the way of providing a remedy. He affirms that the " tranquillity and freedom from crime of any district depend quite as much on the revenue and general, as on the police, administration. If you take the police out of the district officer's hands, there remains no one who can properly be held responsible for the good government of the district ; for the Superintendent of Police and district officer each have control of only a portion of the factors on which peace and a short register of crime depend." We do not attach much importance to a further objection that rival authorities would be created by the division of the powers. The different branches of a public service generally work together in tolerable harmony. If they disagree, they do not often exhibit their differences in public, and it is hardly worth while sacrificing overmuch to avoid any little friction that may arise. While Mr. Hume is unable to see any way, at this moment, of " advantageously dividing between independent authorities the executive work of the district," he advocates the removal of all judicial power from the district officer and his subordinates. We are quite willing to admit that the division of authority which Mr. Hume deprecates must be attained by well-considered stages, but we are confident, nevertheless, that it is a goal which must be reached sooner or later, if local self-government is to become a reality. It should be. The question of organising the police under partial municipal supervision is one which has been not unfavourably received by the Bombay Government. On the invitation of the Government of India, the Bombay Government and their officials were asked to consider a proposal to relieve the municipalities of the cost of the police. As a matter of fact the only municipalities in this Presidency which pay a proportion of the expense of the police are Bombay city, Poona, and some of the Sind municipalities. With reference to Sind more particularly, the Government of Bombay issued a Resolution in March last, in which we read that " a scheme under which the municipalities would pay part of the cost of the police, and would have a voice in the police administration, whilst Government would retain the control over the police, appoint the superior officers, and contribute a certain proportion of the cost of the police, on condition that the force was maintained in an efficient state, and that any other requirements which may be insisted on are fulfilled, seems to His Excellency the Governor in Council to be one which would merit favourable consideration." Although there is a certain ambiguity in the wording of this declaration, especially as to the meaning of the phrases referring to the " voice in the police administration" appertaining to the municipality, and the " control" resting with the Government, there is, notwithstanding, some conception of that police localization which has obtained in England from time immemorial, and which ought to be aimed at in India. A reference to the reports of the officers in Sind explains more fully the various official views on this matter. Mr. Erskine reports that the opinions of local officers are very much divided. The Collector and Magistrate of Kurrachee writes that " municipal bodies have no control over the police expenditure, and on that and other grounds the transfer of such charges to Provincial Funds is desirable." On the other hand, the Collector and Magistrate of Shikarpur " would be sorry to see municipalities altogether set free from payment, as their proceedings in connection with the same furnish a very good side test of the need for police and some times of the efficiency of the latter." The Deputy Commissioner of the Upper Sind Frontier District expresses this view even more forcibly than the Collector of Shikarpur. He writes : " Is not the town police exactly one of the matters for local self-government ? There is none in which the native merchant is more interested, although care is required that such interest should not result in unnecessary expenditure, as it occasionally used to." From these and other reports Mr. Erskine concludes that " among district officers there is a strong feeling in favour of municipalities having a voice in the settlement of their own police arrangements, but this, it appears from the general tenour of their remarks, is very much due to an impression that the Government provision for police purposes is inadequate, and that it is therefore better that those who feel the want should have the power of remedying it, and because experience has shown that there is no question in which the native members of municipal bodies take a more lively interest." While admitting that " there is a good deal to be urged in favour of allow

TELEGRAMS.

HYDERABAD RACES.

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.)

HYDERABAD, DEC. 5.

CHUDDERGHAUT CUP.

Blotting Paper 1
Syeed 2
Faleh 3

The latter fell at the second hurdle, Syeed at the third, and the winner won as he liked.

TRIMULGHERRY STAKES.

Fareed 1
Khusroo 2
Orion 3

Won in a canter.—Time, 3m. 58s.

RESIDENCY PURSE.

Shere Ali 1
Rosymorn 2
Ichabod 3
Launcelot 0

Six ran. Won cleverly by a length.—Time, 3m. 52s.

PEISHKAR'S PURSE.

Linkboy 1
Eclipse 2
Gonzago 3

Won very easily.—Time, 3m. 16s.

DECCAN CUP.

Young Revenge 1
Blacklock 2
Baltic 3

Seven ran. Won by ten lengths easily.—Time, 2m. 49s.

PONY STAKES.

Tangier 1
Fire Queen 2
Bonnie Nell 3
Charlie 0

A nice race, won by a length.—Time, 1m. 33s.

There was a large attendance, but the lotteries were very poor. Course in splendid order, and fast going.

[REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.]

THE COMMAND IN EGYPT.

LONDON, DEC. 5.

The *Standard* of to-day publishes a telegram from Cairo, stating that the British Government has recommended Sir Evelyn Wood to the Egyptian Government for the post of Commander-in-Chief of the Egyptian Army.

LETTER FROM ARABI PASHA.

The *Times* publishes a letter from Arabi Pasha, in which he gratefully acknowledges the intervention of the British Government in his behalf, and expresses confidence in the civilizing influence of the English in Egypt.

OPENING OF THE NEW LAW COURTS.

Her Majesty the Queen yesterday opened the new Law Courts in state.

OBITUARY.

General Corfield.

THE AMERICAN CONGRESS.

WASHINGTON, DEC. 4.

President Arthur, in his message to Congress, which was opened to-day, recommends the restitution of silver coinage, as a slower satisfaction of the public debt, and the abolition of taxes except on spirits. He also recommends large reductions in the Customs duties.

THE MAILS.

LONDON, DEC. 4.

The Bombay mails of the 17th ult. arrived at Brindisi to-day.

STEAMER MOVEMENT.

LONDON, DEC. 4.

The B. I. S. N. Co.'s steamer Rewa left here for Calcutta, Madras, and Colombo on the evening of the 3rd inst.

LONDON, DEC. 4.

The Liverpool Cotton market closed quiet. Surats quiet.

The London Cotton market has been quiet.

Fair Dhollera	3 15-16
The Manchester market has been dull.	
Exchange on India, 60 days' sight	1 7/8
4 per cent. Rupee Paper	81¾
ditto per cents.	90¾
3 per cent. Consols, or account	101¼
2½ per cent. Sterling Loan	100⅜
5 per cent. French Rentes	115
Bar Silver	50¼
Oriental Bank Shares	£15-10
Chartered " "	£22-10
Do. Mercantile Bank	£16
Hongkong and Shanghai	£37

TELEGRAPHIC ABBREVIATIONS.

STATE TELEGRAMS.—*Via* Indo-European, and heavy charges by the Turkish lines.

GREAT BRITAIN.—*Via* Submarine, perfect. *Via* Eastern, perfect. *Via* Direct Submarine, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

CONTINENT.—*Via* Indo-European, perfect. *Via* Turkey, perfect. *Via* Suez, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect.

AMERICA.—*Via* Brest, perfect. *Via* Valentia, perfect. *Via* Direct Cable, perfect.

AUSTRALIA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

CHINA.—*Via* Penang, perfect. *Via* Amoor, perfect.

THERMOMETER READINGS.

(Madras time.)

MONDAY, NIGHT, DECEMBER 4.

At 10 p.m. ... ... 73·5

TUESDAY, DECEMBER 5.

" 6 a.m. ... ... 70·5
" 10 a.m. ... ... 76·5
" 2 p.m. ... ... 82·6
" 4 p.m. ... ... 81·2

WE are informed that we were in error in supposing that the Municipal Commissioner, Mr. Ollivant, originated the proposal that the "whole cost of making the necessary house connections with the new drains should be borne by the Municipality." It appears that the proposal or suggestion of the Municipal Commissioner was that as the matter lay entirely within the province of the Corporation, that body should appoint a Committee to report on the question.

A CORRESPONDENT writes to us drawing attention to the serious danger resulting from the target practice, in the evening, of the native troops close to the Marine-lines railway station. The sound of the firing, at a time when the Queen's-road is thronged with vehicles, frightens the horses, already sufficiently nervous from the passing of railway trains, and the risk of accidents is very great.

COLONEL CHESNEY, R.E., the Military Secretary, returned to Calcutta on the 3rd inst.

WE believe we may expect to see the long-looked-for University Tower clock in its place, and chiming the hours, some three months hence. Mr. Lund, of the firm of Messrs. Lund and Blockley, the manufacturers to whom the work of supplying the clock and carillons was entrusted, arrived here last week, and the complete clock and chimes are expected to arrive in about three months from now. Mr. Lund, we believe, calculates that it will take some two months to get the clock into position and set in working order.

A NUMBER of native inhabitants of Kurrachee have submitted a memorial to the Education Commission, expressing regret at the decision of the Commission not to visit Sind, "which perhaps of all the other educational divisions in the Presidency stands most in need of a searching local inquiry and personal inspection." The following additional information as to the meagre results of education in the province are given:—

It is unquestionable that this Province is in a very backward state of education. It does not contain more than 7 graduates, and it does not boast of a single M. A. or M. D.; it has but a single Licentiate of Civil Engineering, and but a single Bachelor of Laws. The total number of matriculated students from 1862 to 1881 (both inclusive) does not exceed 190, that is the percentage of whole male and female, to the whole population does not exceed 80. There is not a single non-official Sindhee newspaper, and the Vernacular Literature Committee, established in 1870, has published but 18 books up to date, of which 6 are original compositions, being mostly stories in verse, and the rest are reprints of old love-tales, translations, compilations, and elementary school books.

The memorialists pray the Commission to recommend the formation of an Arts College for Sind on the model of the Ahmedabad College, and they guarantee to collect at least Rs. 30,000 for endowments. Amongst other suggestions put forward are the following:—That an Educational Inspector should be appointed for the Province who can devote his whole time to educational matters, instead of that office being linked, as at present, with some other appointment which monopolises the major portion of the officer's attention; and that one-third of the whole Local Fund receipts, instead of one-third of the one-anna local cess merely, may be set apart for educational purposes. Out of the increased grant thus obtained they would propose to establish exhibitions for the purpose of inducing students in the village primary schools to join the Taluka Middle Class Schools, and the students in these again to join the Zilla High Schools.

THE case of the murder of Corporal Low, at Agra, a couple of months since, has been carefully investigated by the Agra magistrate. Low, it will be remembered, was struck down with a stone or heavy stick while walking with his wife one evening after dark from the barracks to the local theatre, and it was at first stated that a native was believed to have struck the blow. Subsequent inquiries, however, led to the arrest of another soldier, Sergeant Henry George Indwood, and of Low's wife, the former as the murderer, and the woman as abettor of the crime. These two were on Thursday last committed for trial at the next Criminal Sessions of the N. W. P. High Court.

A MR. T. P. LUSCOMBE is at present on his trial in the Court of the Cantonment Magistrate at Allahabad, on a charge of criminal breach of trust as an agent. Mr. W. M. Todrick, of Mussoorie, who prosecutes, said he entrusted a rifle to the prisoner for sale, telling him the price was to be Rs. 150 net, or over. Some time after the prisoner told him he had sold the rifle for Rs. 150, with great difficulty; but the complainant subsequently discovered that Captain Mitchell, of Saugor, had paid him Rs. 200 for the weapon. The prisoner admitted these facts, and was committed for trial at the Sessions.

SIR LEPEL GRIFFIN, Agent to the Governor-General for Central India, left Morar for a tour in Bundelkhund, on the 3rd instant. Marching through Dattia up to Sampthar, and returning through Jhansi, the camp will probably reach Nowgong, after branching off to the south in order to visit Tehri, before the end of December. After which the States of Bijnour, Ajaigarh, and Punna will be visited. The exact direction of the tour after Nowgong will be settled subsequently; but it is expected that the camp will reach Rewah about the beginning of February, whence the Agent Governor-General will probably proceed to Bhopal by rail and dak, leaving the camp to march back to Indore from Sutna. Maharajah Sindhia, it appears, has not yet sufficiently recovered from his recent indisposition to be able to either take part in any ceremonial meeting with the Governor-General's Agents, or to discuss with him any of the questions pending with the Gwalior Durbar. His Highness is about to undertake another journey to Oojein, and the change, it is hoped, may have the effect of restoring him to complete health again.

THE Punjab Sanitary Commissioner's report for the third quarter of the year, ending 30th September, shows that the total number of deaths registered was 112,568; namely, from cholera 13; small-pox 1,398; fevers 71,266; bowel complaints 4,786; suicide 86; wounding 79; accidents 1,691; snake-bite or killed by wild beasts 679; and all other causes 3,257. There was an excess of 67,370 births over deaths registered in the quarter. The death-rate per mille of population per annum was only 24, and the birth-rate 38.

"CONDITIONS upon which licenses to reside in the Settlement of the island of South Andaman" are to be granted are published in the *Gazette of India*.

THERE must be something radically wrong in the organization or condition of the Rangoon police force, when a gang of armed ruffians can commit a dacoity in the city in broad daylight. A correspondent writing from there on November 24, says:—"There was a regular *pucka* dacoity on a house in town last Sunday by men armed with revolvers. About 20 shots were fired, which kept the unarmed policemen at a distance, and the dacoits, who are said to be Upper Burmans, managed to get clear off with Rs. 900. The local papers think the police should be armed with firearms; and doubtless, though this would lead to some 'free shooting,' it would make it possible to bring them up and punish them if they did not interfere to prevent robberies and dacoities committed before their faces."

Truth has the following amusing, but rather malicious, paragraph about Stanley, the explorer:—Mr. Henry Irving recently gave a dinner-party, at which he invited many professional talkers and Mr. Stanley of Africa. The professionals each arrived with a copious assortment of impromptus. Their suppressed feelings may be imagined when Mr. Stanley commenced talking of his travels with the soup, and continued without one single flash of silence until the party broke up.

THE Leander, one of three steam cruisers building for the Government, was launched from the yard of Messrs. Napier and Sons, Glasgow, at the beginning of this month. She will carry 18 guns, and 10 Whitehead torpedoes, besides machine-guns. She is of 3,800 tons burden.

As a sequel to an inquiry made recently on board H. M. S. Clyde, at Aberdeen, the chief gunner has been placed under arrest, and Captain Heron Maxwell has been suspended. He is alleged to have been implicated in the irregularities in connection with the ship's stores; and a detachment of Marines arrived to take charge of the ship. Certain irregularities of a serious character are alleged to have been going on for a considerable time, and these were reported to the Duke of Edinburgh by one of the crew. His Royal Highness referred the matter to the Admiralty, who ordered an inquiry to be held to ascertain whether, as alleged, large quantities of the ship's stores had improperly disposed of. The court consisted of Captain [illegible], A.D.C., of the Lord Warden, and Captain Best and Mr. Colling, paymaster. These officers were engaged for a period of seven days in taking evidence, and have forwarded to the Admiralty the result of their investigations. Staff Com. Haywood, of the Lord Warden, has assumed command of the Clyde.

NOT only have the Admiralty decided on establishing a scheme for giving pensions to the widows and orphans of seamen and Marines, but they have also determined to make the scheme retrospective. Accordingly, notices have been sent to all widows whose husbands have died from the time of, and inclusive of, the explosion on board the Doterel to the present date to send in returns of the numbers of their family, so that the amounts to be annually paid to each family may be determined on. The *Army and Navy Gazette* remarks that Lord Northbrook's administration at Whitehall is not likely to suffer by this consideration for the families of our sailors and Marines.

THE construction of one of the largest ironclads yet built, the Benbow, a twin screw steel armour-plated barbette ship, has been entrusted by the Admiralty to the Thames Iron Company, Blackwall. The vessel is to be of 10,000 tons, and is to have engines of 7,500 h.-p., working up to, under forced blast, 9,500 h.-p. She is intended to mount four 60-ton guns, but ultimately it is likely she will carry guns of a much heavier calibre. The engines will be supplied by Messrs. Maudslay, of Lambeth. The cost of the vessel, hull and engines, will amount, before she leaves the contractors' premises, to close upon £600,000. A similar vessel, the Camperdown, was commenced a short time back at the Royal Dockyard, Portsmouth.

ON the suggestion that the British Government should send troops to quell the disturbance in the Soudan, *Truth* writes:—"What next? Dr. Schweinfurth asks whether England will abandon the Soudan to barbarism, and proposes that we should send two or three Indian regiments there in order to avert this calamity. Now, considering that the worthy Doctor describes the Egyptian Governor, whom the False Prophet has vanquished, as a *vile fabricant des eunuques*, I hardly see that there is much to choose between the pair, when assuming the rôle of the Prophet, a false one. The Soudan was annexed to Egypt much as the Conservatives wished to anuex Afghanistan to our Indian Empire. The only benefit which has resulted to its inhabitants is that they have been privileged to be "fabricated," and to pay a portion of the interest due on Egyptian bonds. Why, then, should we spend money and risk the lives of the subjects of the Empress of India in order to fight the battles of an Egyptian Khedive against a Soudan Prophet? It is true that Dr. Schweinfurth tells us that the intention of the latter is to conquer the world, but I think that the world can risk this contingency."

ACCORDING to a *Times* telegram from Durban, Mapoch has defeated the Boers with great loss. The natives are said to have killed 300 of their enemies, and at another time to have driven their assailants back to Fort Weber, their finger. The report, says the correspondent, is so circumstantial that he fears it is true. Why he should regard it with fear and not with satisfaction, the *Pall Mall* says, is not very palpable. The only hope for the establishment of a *modus vivendi* between the Boers and the natives which shall be tolerably fair to the latter is that in such rough-and-tumble trials of strength as that which is going on between the Boers and the blacks the Boers should not have everything their own way. A few salutary lessons of the ability of the natives to defend themselves would do much more to keep the Boers from encroaching than any number of remonstrances from the British Resident.

ON Sunday, the 5th December, the services at St. John's Miles Platting—Mr. F. Green's former church—were largely attended. The new curate, Mr. Pym, observed the rival defined by the Bishop of Manchester, and at the morning service asked for the co-operation of the parishioners. The congregation absented themselves without exception from the Communion Service, and the church wardens, before the service, handed Mr. Pym a document, signed by between three and four hundred of the congregation, informing him that as he was ready to intrude himself even if Mr. Green had not resigned, his presence was distasteful, and they could not welcome him or offer him the right hand of fellowship.

ADVICE TO MOTHERS!—Are you broken in your rest by a sick child suffering with the pain of cutting teeth? Go at once to a chemist and get a bottle of MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP. It will relieve the poor sufferer immediately. It is perfectly harmless and pleasant to the taste, it produces natural quiet sleep by relieving the child from pain, and the little cherub awakes "as bright as a button." It soothes the child, it softens the gums, allays all pain, relieves wind, regulates the bowels, and is the best known remedy for dysentery and diarrhœa, whether arising from teething or other causes. Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup is sold by Medicine dealers everywhere at 1s. 1½d. per bottle. Wholesale by the Anglo-American Drug Company, Limited 38, Farringdon Road, London.

MILITARY NEWS.

REUTER telegraphs that "General Corfield" has died in England. There are two Generals Corfield named in the Army List—General Frederick Brooke Corfield and General William Robert Corfield—and both belonged to the Bengal Infantry, and have both retired for some years.

LIEUTENANT-COLONEL T. N. WALKER, Staff Corps, has been appointed officiating second in command, 11th Bengal N. I., *vice* Stead on furlough.

MAJOR CREAGH, 2nd Leicestershire Regimen't has been granted an extension of leave to the 26th December.

LIEUTENANT W. STEWART, York and Lancaster Regiment, has been appointed to the 10th Bengal Lancers as a probationer for the Bengal Staff Corps.

THE following postings have been ordered:—Captains Frodsham, East Surrey Regiment, and Pennington, Northumberland Fusiliers, to 2nd Battalions of their respective regiments. Major Glasgow, Suffolk Regiment, and Lieutenant Bruce, West Riding Regiment, to 1st Battalions of their regiments respectively. Lieutenant Pratt, King's Own Borderers, has been posted to the 1st Battalion of that regiment, which cancels the transfer of Lieutenant Marshal from the 2nd Battalion. An exchange of duties has been sanctioned between Veterinary Surgeons Evans and Burke.

ACCORDING to the arrangements that have been made with regard to the troops assembling at Meean Meer for field manœuvres, the cavalry force from Sialkote, and the 3rd Bengal Cavalry, will form a Cavalry Brigade, under the command of Colonel A. R. D. Mackenzie. The infantry in garrison, together with C-4 Royal Artillery, will form a mixed force, under the command of Colonel B. T. Trafford, 22nd Punjab Native Infantry. The infantry from Bulloki and Ferozepore will form a separate force, under the command of Colonel J. P. Turton, 4th Goorkhas. Colonel Harward, R. A., will act as chief umpire.

THE following Punjab officers have passed the prescribed examination in Pushtu, Higher Standard:—Captain W. H. Frith, R. A., Major M. Court, General List Cavalry, Lieutenant H. T. Faithful, B. S. C., Surgeon A. Mackenzie, Lieutenants J. Nixon, B. S. C., and F. H. J. Birch, R. A. The following officers have passed the Lower Standard:—Surgeon W. Coates, M. D., and Lieutenants J. A. H. Pollock, J. Dunlop Smith, P. M. Carpendale, and O. C. Radford.

THE recommendation of the Bombay Government to remove, on the ground of their insanitary condition, the Ghorepoorie Barracks, and construct others at Kirkee, at an estimated cost of Rs. 3,59,574, has not been approved by the Government of India, who have suggested that the Ghorepoorie Barracks be left unoccupied for two years, and their healthiness be tested gradually by tentative occupation.

A NOTICE appears in an Army Circular just issued to the effect that "it having been decided to insert in the Army Lists of the three Presidencies the war services of officers serving in Volunteer Corps in India who may have been engaged in active operations in the field with the Regular Army, officers attached to those corps are required to transmit through their commanding officers to the Adjutant-General in India a detail of such service, giving the campaigns, the actions in which engaged, the medals, decorations, or rewards received, and any mention in despatches concerning them, specifying in this case the date of the *Gazette* in which such despatches were published."

MESSRS. W. D. BLYTH AND C. S. BAYLEY, C.S., of the Bengal Secretariat, have accepted subalterns' commissions in the new company of Volunteers from the Bengal Secretariat offices, which is in course of formation in connection with the Calcutta Volunteers. If the heads of departments would take the matter in hand, a capital Volunteer company might be raised and fully officered from amongst the employés in the Secretariat offices in Bombay.

WESTERN INDIA RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

THE following scores were made at Coorla yesterday morning in matches VII. and VIII. by members of the B. V. R.:—

MATCH VII.—500 and 600 yards.

	500 yds.	600 yds.	added pts.	Total.
Vol. Major	27	26	2	55
Sergt. Keess	27	25	2	54
Vol. Stephens	30	19	2	51
Lce. Corpl. J. Fido ...	23	23	2	50
Vol. Warne	27	21	2	50
Lieut. Whitehead ...	21	20	2	43

MATCH VIII.—800 and 900 yards, seven shots at each; any position—

	800 yds.	900 yds.	added pts.	Total.
Lieut. Whitehead ...	27	23	5	55
Sergt. Keess	24	19	5	48
Lce. Corpl. J. Fido ...	24	16	5	45
Vol. Stephens	19	20	5	44
Vol. Warne	14	20	5	39

TELEGRAPHIC WEATHER REPORT.

CALCUTTA, Dec. 2.—The pressure has increased, except at Vizagapatam, over Eastern Bengal and the Arakan coast. The depression near Masulipatam is quickly filling up, but a large shallow depression is lying over the centre of the Bay. The wind is rather variable over Northern India, but is northerly and north-westerly over the head of the Bay, north-westerly at Madras, and westerly at Negapatam. The temperature has decreased and the air is drier except in Arakan, where heavy rain is reported. Rain to-day:—Diamond Island, 5½ inches; Vizagapatam, 1¾ inch; Akyab, 1½ inch; Gopalpore, 1 inch; Cochin, ¾ inch. Previously, Bellary had 1 inch, and Guti ½ inch.

Dec. 3.—The pressure has decreased locally in Ceylon, Southern India, and parts of the North-West Provinces, but has increased elsewhere. The distribution is normal and little changed. The barometer is highest in the Indus Valley and Behar, and lowest to the south of the Bay of Bengal and in Ceylon. The wind is north-easterly at the head of the Bay, and northerly and north-westerly in the Northern Circars and Coromandel coast; force light. The temperature has fallen, and the weather is fine, with light passing clouds. Rain is reported only in Burmah—Akyab, ½ inch.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORTS.

THE following are the reports of the revenue and agricultural department on the state of the season and prospects of the crops throughout India for the week ending 28th November.—

General Remarks.—More or less rain has fallen throughout the Madras Presidency; standing crops, with a few exceptions, are in good condition; and harvest is progressing. Coorg has had a little rain; the rabi harvest here is over, but the crop is almost ready for cutting, coffee-picking has commenced in the south.

In Mysore there has been more or less rain in every district, but one; standing crops are thriving. In the Nizam's Territories and Berar there has been a little rain, and prospects are favourable.

In the Bombay Presidency the harvesting of karif and sowing of rabi have been completed in most districts and are in progress in others; some showers have fallen in the Deccan districts and in Dharwar; rain is wanted in Kaladghi and Belgaum.

In the Central Provinces rain in varying quantities has fallen in most districts, benefitting the rabi crops; the harvest of kharif crops has begun in a few districts. In Central India and Rajputana prospects are good.

In the Punjab rabi sowings have been completed in some districts, and are in progress in others. In the North-Western Provinces and Oudh a little rain occurred in three districts; the rabi sowings have been completed, and the young crops generally are doing well; in Lucknow, however, the sowings need rain in some places. In Bengal almost all reporting districts have had a little rain; the harvest of *amun* rice is progressing with fair outturn in some places and very good in others; prospects of rabi crops are favourable every where, and sugarcane is very promising. Assam also has had a little rain in all reporting districts; and harvesting of rice has commenced. In British Burma crops are progressing satisfactorily.

Madras.—Prospects good.

Bombay.—Harvesting of kharif and sowing of rabi completed in some districts and in progress in others; rain in the Deccan districts and in Dharwar, wanted in Kaladgi and Belgaum; fever and cattle disease in some districts; slight cholera and smallpox in a few.

Bengal.—There was a little rain in almost all the reporting districts during the week; harvesting of *amun* rice continuing; outturn will be good in a few places, but in Orissa and in parts of Eastern Bengal and Chota-Nagpore it promises to be very good; prospects of rabi crops everywhere reported as very favourable; sugarcane crop also very promising, it is being harvested in some districts; prevalence of fever reported from several districts and of cholera from some.

N.-W. Provinces and Oudh.—Rain in three districts; weather cloudy; prices stationary; general health and prospects good; a few cases of typhus fever in Kumaon.

Punjab.—The health of the Province and the prospects of crops are generally good; there has been no rain during the week.

Central Provinces.—Weather cloudy and cool, with rain during the latter portion of the week, which has been beneficial to rabi crops; kharif crops being harvested in a few districts; fever still continues; prices steady.

British Burma.—A few cases of cholera in several districts; but public health generally good; crop prospects good.

Assam.—Weather seasonable; nights and mornings cool and foggy; prospects of crops and public health good.

Mysore and Coorg.—The north-east monsoon has broken and rain has been general throughout the east of the State; Kolar has had 4·82 inches, Tumker 2·49; the ripe crops in parts are being injured from continuous rain; towards the west of the State, rain has been more or less general, this is Chick-magalur 1·14, Shimoga 1·22, Shikarpore 1·02; crops in good condition; prospects fair; prices steady; public health good.

Berar and Hyderabad.—Prospects of crops favourable; weather cool.

Central India States.—Weather seasonable; prospects of crops and public health good.

Rajputana.—Wells and tanks fair; health good; sowing operations continue; cool weather very cold.

Nepal.—Weather beautiful, cold, bright, and frosty; agricultural prospects good.

THE BOMBAY BRANCH OF THE EAST INDIA ASSOCIATION.

THE annual meeting of the members of this Association was held, on Monday evening, at the Framjee Cowasjee Institute. On the motion of Mr. Ragoonath N. Khote, Mr. Dadabhai Nowrojee was called to the chair.

The Chairman, in opening the proceedings, said that by right and rule, Mr. Khote should have taken the chair; but as that duty had devolved on him, he would accept it with pleasure, which was, however, mingled with regret that it was Mr. Khote's indisposition that prevented him from presiding. It was well known to them all that Lord Ripon, the Viceroy, had been taking very deep interest and very active measures to promote the good of India. They could not be too thankful for the exertions of His Excellency, and it was their bounden duty to do the utmost in their power to carry out or to help forward all those great measures which Lord Ripon had passed for their welfare. Their Association alone existed at present in Bombay to take an active part in expressing the views of the public, both in respect of the general Resolutions promulgated by the Viceroy, as well as the regular local work done by the local Government. The Chairman hoped that the Association would now work strenuously and earnestly to achieve the object they had in view. It was true that they had been a little quiet for some time past, but he could say from his knowledge of the earnestness with which the Managing Committee was now working, that in future they would be able to give a better account of the performance of their duty than they had done in the past. (Hear, hear.) The Chairman then asked the Secretary to read the report submitted by the Committee.

The following report was read by the Secretary:—

Gentlemen,—Your Committee have to lay before you the following report on the operations of this Association during the period from January, 1878, to the end of November, 1882. About the end of the year 1879 large portions of subscriptions were in arrears. Several attempts were made to collect them, and at last Mr. Dadabhai Nowrojee having suggested that some remission should be made, the Committee adopted the view, and with Mr. Dadabhai's valuable help some part of the arrears has been realized. The Honorary Treasurer's report, now laid on the table, shows the state of accounts. You are all aware of the Press Act, passed in 1878 by the Council of the Governor-General during the regime of Lord Lytton. In July, 1878, your Committee sent up a petition to Parliament asking for the total repeal of the Act. In July, 1880, they sent a petition to the Viceroy containing a similar prayer. It is now known to all that the Act was ultimately repealed in 1882, when the Marquis of Ripon had become the Viceroy and Governor-General of India. In the month of April, 1879, your Committee forwarded to the Secretary of State for India a memorial regarding the abolition of import duties on cotton goods. The abolition of these duties has formed during a long period of time the most important subject of agitation by Manchester cotton merchants, and this Association has tried twice to prevent the accomplishment of the object in whatever shape it was presented. But the views of our Association, and others, have not succeeded, as in the last Budget all the Customs duties have been swept away. The effects of this measure will have to be carefully watched by all who have the good of India at heart. In April, 1880, your Committee also forwarded a memorial to Parliament regarding the expenses of the Afghan war. That war was undertaken not really for any Indian interests, but for preserving the prestige and honour of England in Europe. Though such was the nature of the war, the late Conservative Ministry had resolved to burden India with its expenses. Against such an inequitable proceeding many voices were raised, not only in India, but in Parliament itself. The bulk of the expenditure of the war has, however, been thrown upon the Indian Exchequer. In the month of October, 1882, another petition of a similar nature was forwarded to Parliament by your Committee. As you all well know, England interfered in the internal affairs of Egypt on account of a rebellion in that country which threatened to subvert the arrangements previously established there jointly by England and France. It is universally acknowledged that the rebellion, had it proved successful, would have radically affected the interests of European Bondholders. But it is also urged that the war in Egypt endangered the Suez Canal, and thereby threatened the communications of England with India. This consideration is put forward by Her Majesty's Government in order to justify the proposal of throwing upon this country the cost of the Contingent that was sent from here to Egypt to co-operate with the troops sent from England. Your Committee have begged, in that petition, that Parliament, in the final determination of the question, should not allow Indian finances to be thus saddled, and they entertain a fervent hope that their prayer may be acceded to. The Government of India, among several other Resolutions during the past two years, issued two Resolutions on the subject of local self-government which are creating such a stir throughout the country. Your Committee are of opinion that the measure is a most statesmanlike one, and if properly and loyally worked by the various local authorities, will ameliorate the general progress of the country in a very perceptible degree. With regard to this measure, your Committee have adopted on the 30th of October, 1882, a Resolution thanking the Governor-General-in-Council for the noble boon conferred upon the people of India, and also for the other beneficent measures for which the Viceroy and Lord Ripon may justly claim the gratitude so deservedly famous. Your Committee also presented on the 31st October, 1882, an address to the Education Commission directing their attention to several important broad questions with reference to education in India. Your Committee, finding the old rules of the Bombay Branch of the East India Association required some modifications so as to make them suit present circumstances, have made some alterations in them, and now submit the rules, as revised, for your confirmation. In the month of July last a Bill to amend the Abkari Act passed through the Legislative Council of Bombay, in the face of a very emphatic and unanimous condemnation of it by the public. The Bill went up to His Excellency the Governor-General-in-Council for assent, which, fortunately for this Presidency, was not granted. On the 7th November, 1882, your Committee sent up to the Viceroy a resolution of thanks on the subject. On the 27th November, 1882 your Committee also appointed a Sub-committee to consider, in view of the Local Self-government Resolution of the Viceroy, the amendments of the Bombay Municipal Act which had been proposed and recommended to the Bombay Government by the Municipal Corporation. Further, with a desire to help in securing success to the Resolution on local self-government as laid down by the Viceroy, your Committee have entered into communication with other Societies and Associations that are working in direct connection with the districts for the purpose, viz., the Poona Sarvajanik Sabha and the Local Self-government Central Committee for Guzerat, and have asked them in what way your Committee could best co-operate with them. Your Committee cannot close this report without recording their deep sense of the loss sustained by our Association in the departure to England from amongst us of Mr. W. Martin Wood, who throughout his connection with it worked with such zeal and efficiency that it will not be easy to find his place. Your Committee would also take this opportunity to express their regret at the death of Sir David Wedderburn, in whom not only has our parent Association lost a zealous worker, but India a true and energetic friend. Your Committee take this opportunity of tendering their best thanks to the English and native journals of Bombay, who supply the Association with their papers and give every help in publishing the proceedings of this Branch.

The Secretary also read the report of the Honorary Treasurer, Mr. Ardesir Framjee Moos, showing the financial position of the Association.

Mr. Jamsetjee A. Dalal proposed that the report now read and the audited accounts submitted by the Honorary Treasurer with this report be adopted." Mr. Dalal remarked that there were hardly two dozen persons present there to celebrate the anniversary of the Association. It was not very creditable to the members that they should make such a poor show, and the speaker hoped that next year there would be a much larger gathering. It was only through the exertions of Mr. Dadabhai Nowrojee that the members were on the rolls, and increase, and the Association was working with renewed energy and activity.

The Chairman explained that the total number of members was now about 150, and observed that increasing interest was being felt in the Association.

The resolution adopting the report was carried unanimously.

Mr. Sorabjee C. Khambatta proposed that the rules of the Branch Association, as altered by the Managing Committee, be confirmed.

This was seconded by Mr. B. B. Patell, and carried *nem. con.*

It was proposed by Mr. Nusserwanjee Kohiarjee, and seconded by Mr. Bomonjee M. Pantheky, that the following gentlemen be elected President and Vice-Presidents:—Sir Munguldas Nathoobhoy, Kt., C.S.I., President, and Messrs. Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, C.S.I., Dinshaw M. Petit, Framjee N. Patell, Cursetjee M. Kama, and Vurjeewundas Madhowdas, Vice-Presidents.

The resolution was also unanimously agreed to.

It was proposed by Mr. Maneckshaw Taleyarkhan, and seconded by Mr. Ardasir Bezonjee, that the following gentlemen be elected members of the Managing Committee for the next year:—Mr. Hagoonath N. Khote, Chairman, the Hon'ble Rao Saheb Vishwanath Narayen Mandlik, C.S.I., Vice-Chairman, Mr. Ardesir Framjee Moos, Hony. Treasurer, Messrs. Kashinath Trimbuk Telang and Daji Abaji Khori, Hony. Joint Secretaries, Messrs. Ramkrishna Bhandarkar, Bala Mangesh Wagle, the Hon'ble Budroodinee Tyabjee, Messrs. Bomanjee Muncherjee Punthaky, Byramjee Nowrojee Dinshaw, Dadabhai Nowrojee, Dinshaw Eduljee Master, Gouldas Jugmondas, Kanuldas Kasundas Faruk, Joseph F. Gomes, Messrs. Javerilal Umiashankar Yajnik, K. R. Cama, Khunderao Chimanro Bedarkur, Kaikhusro Nowrojee Kabrajee, R. N. Shroff, Nanabhoy Rustomjee Ranina, Mahomed Ali Rogay, Rahimtoola Mahomed Sayani, Thakoredas Atmaram Mehta, and Shamrao Vithal.

The Chairman said that before the resolution was put to the vote, he might observe that the Committee proposed for the next year was, in fact, the standing Committee. It was desirable that it should continue in office, as it had worked earnestly to meet the difficulties in their way. Some of the newly elected members, who took great interest in the work of the Association, were also on the proposed Committee.

Mr. Jehangeer Maneckjee asked why Mr. Nowrojee Furdoonjee's name was not on the Committee.

The Chairman replied that they should all be very glad to have Mr. Nowrojee's name on the Committee, but that gentleman had long since informed them that he did not want to take any share or interest in political questions any longer.

On the motion of Dr. Temoojee B. Nariman, thanks were voted to the past Managing Committee.

Mr. Jehangeer Maneckjee, in putting a vote of thanks to the Chairman, said it was only the energy of Mr. Dadabhai that had resuscitated the moribund Association and galvanized it into activity. He was sorry that great political questions had arisen in their day. There had been the Afghan war and the Vernacular Press Act; but the Association hardly did its duty at the proper time. Their Chairman had for a number of years taken an active part in all matters connected with Bombay and India. (Applause.) Mr. Dadabhai was now getting old, and the men of the rising generation, that had produced a good number of M. A.'s and B. A.'s, must shake off their apathy, and strive hard to come up to the level of the Chairman, and be able to fill his place with honour and credit.

Mr. K. C. Bedarkar, in seconding the proposition, endorsed the views of the above speaker.

The Chairman briefly acknowledged the vote of thanks, and the meeting separated.

STORES TO BE PURCHASED IN INDIA.

THE following Resolution of the Government of India with reference to the purchase of European stores for the Military Works Branch of the P. W. D. is published:—"From the returns forwarded by the Public Works Department, a list has been prepared and is appended to this Resolution, showing articles which, on the information before the Governor-General in Council, it is possible to obtain of Indian manufacture. His Excellency in Council accordingly directs that in future these articles shall be procured of Indian manufacture whenever it is possible to obtain them of quality good enough for the purposes for which they are required and at prices not higher than the cost of articles of similar quality imported from England. In no case should articles of these classes or of others which the country is capable of supplying be indented for until careful and extended enquiry has shown that the locally manufactured articles are substantially inferior in quality to, or dearer than, similar articles supplied under indent from the Secretary of State.

When the price, at which particular articles can be obtained through the agency of the India Office, is not known, reference may be made to the Director General of railways.

Officers should take particular care to avoid purchasing as articles nominally of Indian manufacture, tools and other similar articles evidently imported from Europe or America."

BENGAL.

THE CALCUTTA VOLUNTEERS.—His Excellency the Viceroy, as Honorary Colonel of the Calcutta Volunteer Rifles, must experience much satisfaction in noticing the good results which have attended Major H. McL. Hutchison's retention as Officiating Commandant of the regiment for the present drill season. It is worth while noticing the marked difference in the numbers of men present on dress parade this drill season, as compared with the numbers present on the parades of the previous drill season. The following is a comparison:—

Season 1881-82. Present.		Season 1882-83. Present.	
1st Parade	278 men.	1st Parade	450 men.
2nd do.	269 "	2nd do.	384 "
3rd do.	227 "	3rd do.	357 "
4th do.	259 "	4th do.	366 "

Cadets are left out of the question in the above statement.

On the morning of the last battalion parade there were, in addition to the men on the maidan with the battalion, fifty to sixty recruits; for a new company to be composed of clerks and assistants from the offices of the Bengal Secretariat were being drilled in the Regimental Head-Quarter compound. These recruits are being regularly drilled daily, with as much rapidity as possible, to enable the new company to make an early appearance on parade with the battalion. A second new company of volunteers is also said to be in course of organization—to be composed of employes in the Post Office, Dalhousie Square. A number of recruits for this company might well be obtained from the Telegraph Department. So that altogether His Excellency the Viceroy has every reason to be fully satisfied with the present progress of the volunteer movement in Calcutta; whilst the greatest credit be due to Major Hutchison for the energy he has shown as Officiating Commandant, the results of which energy, as roughly outlined above

SALES BY AUCTION.

MENESSE AND COMPANY.

TO-MORROW, THURSDAY, the 7th instant, Messrs. MENESSE and Co. will hold their usual weekly auction sale at their rooms a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, twist, &c.

20 cases Turkey red prints.
30 „ coloured prints.
2 „ flannel.
2 „ gold brocades.
5 bales grey piece-goods.
24 rolls Brussels carpet.

On account of the underwriters 2 cases salt-water damaged Prints ex California and Romania.

AUCTION SALE OF OLD CAST STEEL FILES.

On WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant, at 2 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. are instructed to sell by Public Auction at the G. I. P. Railway Stores Depot, Nesbit-road, Byculla.

A quantity of old cast steel files.

The above can be seen on application at the Stores Office.

AUCTION SALE of Wrought Scrap Iron, Carriage and Waggon, Iron works, Volute springs, &c.

On WEDNESDAY, the 13th instant, at 2-15 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at the G. I. P. Railway Stores Depot, Nesbit-road, Byculla.

Several hundred tons of wrought scrap iron, carriage, and waggon iron work, volute springs, &c., &c.

The above are now on view.

AUCTION SALE of Surplus and Unserviceable Marine Stores, &c.

On MONDAY, the 18th, and TUESDAY, the 19th inst., at 2 p.m., Messrs. MENESSE & Co. have received instructions to sell by Public Auction in the P. and O. Company's Dockyard, Mazagon, a quantity of surplus Marine and Engineering stores, iron and brassware, also old ropes, canvas, coil ashes, scrap iron, iron tubes, empty drums and packages, marble baths, slate-tanks, old filters, ship's scuttles, lead pipes and sheets, cast lead, warm clothing, broken glass and crockery, ship steering wheels, a quantity of tin utensils for European crews, old carpet curtains, settis and chairs, cabin fittings, boats and oars, old water closets, defaced jams and oilmanstores, sparkling and still wines, &c., &c.

MENESSE & CO.

Bombay, 6th December, 1882.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON AND COMPANY.

On FRIDAY, the 8th instant, at 1 p.m., Messrs. MEHRJEE JOHNSTON & Co. will sell by Public Auction at Commissariat Stores, Town Barracks, by order of the Ex. Commissariat Officer Presidency—Serviceable and unserviceable articles of provisions and dead stock.

It is hereby notified that by order of the Municipal Commissioner for the City of Bombay, Messrs. MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON and Co. will sell by Public Auction, at the Arthur Crawford Market, on SATURDAY, the 9th December, 1882, at 11 a.m., the right of collecting fair ground and feeding fees, from Cattle Dealers, Butchers, and all others at the Bombay Municipal Slaughter Houses, Bandora, for 3 months from 1st January to 31st March 1883, and Squatters' Fees in the Fort Market, Arthur Crawford Beef Market, Arthur Crawford Fish and Mutton Market, Erskine-road Fish and Mutton Market, and Pedder Market, Mazagon, from fresh and salt-fish sellers, &c., who sit on the floor or other places not numbered, either in line or outside under the eaves of the markets, for 15 months, *i.e.*, from 1st January 1883 to 31st March 1884. For particulars and conditions of these sales respectively, apply at the Municipal Commissioner's Office, Fort, or the office of the Superintendent of Markets, Arthur Crawford Market, or the undersigned. The Municipal Commissioner does not bind himself to accept the highest or any offer.

MEHRJEE, JOHNSTON & CO.

Bombay, 6th December, 1882.

BENNETT AND COMPANY,

No. 3, APOLLO-STREET.

AUCTION SALE OF VALUABLE LANDED PROPERTY.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 6th December, at 4 p.m, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. will sell by public auction on the premises by order of Amerchund Laljee, the mortgagee, and on account andrisk of Rehmoobhoy Mahomed, the mortgagor, the following landed property :—

All that piece of parcel of fazundary land or ground with messuage, tenement, or dwelling house standing thereon, situate, lying and being without the Fort of Bombay, at the western side, of Chinch-bunder, third row, in the sub-district of Mandvie, were formerly and are now in the occupation of the said Rehmoobhoy Mahomed and his tenants, formerly assessed by the Collector of Assessment under No. 23, and now under No. 26, standing in the name of the said Rehmoobhoy Mahomed, containing by admeasurement one hundred and six-ninths square yards or thereabouts, and bounded as follows, that is to say on or towards the east by the said Chinch-bunder third row, on or towards the west by the Chinch-bunder second row and on or towards the north by the house of Bhicajee Eduljee, and on or towards the south by the house of Muncherjee Framjee Settna.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the undersigned.

On SATURDAY, the 9th instant, Messrs. BENNETT and Co. will sell by publice auction at their rooms, a quantity of grey and coloured piece-goods, &c.

AT 1 P.M.

1 handsome strong Victoria newly done up with a pair of handsome fast-trotting bay Arab horses and set of new English harness.

1 handsome strong-built district tonga with removeable top and a pair of dun-colour Kilaree ponies, fast and quiet; both go in saddle, harness, &c., complete.

The handsome C. B. Hunter "Schandalli" a splendid jumper, sticker, has been through almost every run with the Bombay Hounds for the last two seasons without ever having an accident, perfectly quiet, in harness and almost every way a valuable Lady's Hack.

1 Handsome strong office shigram in very good order

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On MONDAY, the 18th December, at 1 p.m., Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction, at Malabar Hill, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood plain and carved household furniture, rich crockery and glassware, large handsome English almirah with glass doors, handsome large fish aquarium on stand with gold fish, first-rate pictures and oleographs, rich table ornaments, handsome China and Japanese vases, a handsome strong black Australian horse, a handsome strong chesnut Arab horse, a handsome glass-fronted miniature brougham, one handsome chesnut child's pony, a handsome Surat cow giving eight seers of milk daily, sets of plated and brass-mounted single harness, and also (if not previously disposed of by private sale) a handsome solid mahogany grand square pianoforte by "Schiedmayer and Sohoene," a handsome oakwood harmonium with 12 stops, &c., &c., the property of ALFRED D. SAUNDERS, Esq.

Catalogues will be published and the property on view 4 days before the sale.

JAPANWARE ON COMMISSION SALE.

Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell on commission at their rooms, an invoice of 25 cases Japanware, consisting of handsome awata ishippo vases, awata shippo pots and covers, awata shippo jars and covers, awata tea sets, &c., &c.

The above is now on view.

On a day to be fixed hereafter, Messrs. BENNETT & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at the old *Bombay Gazette*, Meadow-street, a large quantity of hanging and table kerosine lamps, rich tea and dessert sets, plated ware, writing desks, date boxes, and tea caddies, and sundry samples of glassware, &c., &c.

Full particulars will be given hereafter.

BENNETT & CO.

Bombay, 6th December, 1882.

CRAWFORD AND COMPANY,

7, MARINE-STREET, BOMBAY.

SALE OF SHARES IN THE NEW DHURUMSEY POONJABHOY SPINNING AND WEAVING COMPANY, LIMITED.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 6th instant, at 2 p. m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by public auction at the Share Bazar, by order of Nathia Manjee & Co. and on account and at the risk of Nuthoo Narronjee—

2 shares in the New Dhurumsey Poonjabhoy Spinning and Weaving Company, Limited, Nos. 150 and 2,911.

A deposit of 25 per cent. will be required at the time of sale.

SALE OF FIRST-CLASS TEAK SQUARES AND SCANTLINGS.

THIS DAY, WEDNESDAY, the 6th December, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by public auction, at the undermentioned places, the following close consignment, per "Byculla" and "A[illegible]" auction convenient lots to suit purchasers :—

At the Kassar Bandar, in small

75 tons first-class teak squares.

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75 tons scantlings of various [illegible]arookhana.

SALE OF UNSERVICEABLE ORDNANCE STORES.

Under instructions from the [illegible] sizes.

Messrs CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by public auction at the Bombay [illegible] from the Commissary of Ordnance, at 2 p.m. [illegible]RD & Co will sell by public auction at a quarter [illegible]rsenal on FRIDAY next, the 8th instant,

[illegible]ity of unserviceable Ordnance stores.

On SATURDAY, the 9th instant, sale commencing at 4 p.m., Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction at the Strangers' Lines, Esplanade, near the Bandstand, the valuable and handsome french-polished blackwood and teakwood household furniture, best plated ware, rich crockery and glassware, a handsome light dogcart, a strong bay horse, lamps, pictures, &c., the property of W. ADAMS, Esq.

Full particulars will appear hereafter.

Sale of Valuable Land on the Byculla Flats near the Mahaluxmee Station, admirably adapted for building, sites, &c.

Under instructions from the Administrator General, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by public auction on the premises, on SATURDAY, the 9th day of December next, at 3 p.m. precisely, the undermentioned plots of land belonging to the estate of the late Mr. Antonio Ignacio Da Silva :—

LOT No. 1.

A piece of ground containing by admeasurement 11,860 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the west side of Haines-road, registered under old Collector's No. 413, old survey No. 369 and new survey No. 3,495, and bounded on the east by the Haines-road, on the west by the Hindostan Mills, on the north by the compound wall of the Hindostan Mills, and on the south partly by the chawl of Sewjee Premjee, partly by the ground of Ragoonath Daboolkar and partly by the ground of Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Esq.

LOT No. 2.

A piece of ground containing by admeasurement 429 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the east side of Haines-road, registered under old Collector's No. 413, old survey No. 369 and new survey No. 3 34/53, and bounded on the east and south by a tank, on the west by the Haines-road, and on the north by the ground of Mr DeSouza.

LOT No 3.

A piece of ground containing by admeasurement 8,255 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the west side of Haines-road, registered under old Collector's No. 414, old survey No. 373 and new survey No. 3499, and bounded on the east by the Haines-road, on the west by the Arthur-road, on the north and south by the property formerly belonging to Ragoonath Narayen Khote, Esq., and now to Bomanjee Jeejeebhoy, Esq.

LOT No. 4.

A piece of ground containing by admeasurement 960 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the east side of Haines-road, registered under old Collector's No. 414, old survey No. 373 and new survey No. 4 34/90, and bounded on the east by the ground of Narrayen Balajee, on the west and south by the Haines-road, and on the north by the property of Narrayen Balajee.

LOT No. 5.

A piece of ground containing by admeasurement 1,190 square yards or thereabouts, situate on the west side of Arthur-road, registered under old Collector's No. 414, old survey No. 373 and new survey No. 2-3120, and bounded on the east and south by the Arthur-road, and on the west and north by the property formerly belonging to Ragoonath Narayen Khote, Esq., and now to Byramjee Jeejeebhoy, Esq.

For further particulars and conditions of sale application may be made to the undersigned.

Under instructions from the Administrator-General, Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction, at their rooms, on MONDAY, the 11th inst., at 2 p.m., the household furniture, jewellery, and other effects of the late Mr. W.C. Whitten, consisting of round, pier, card, side, dressing and washhand tables, conversation couches, drawing-room easy, arm and without arm, chairs, hat-stand, screens, wardrobe, chest of drawers, bookstand, sideboard, camp tables, iron bedsteads, dressing glass and porcelain ware, wearing apparel, gold and silver watches, gold lockets, rings, earrings, Albert chains, studs, &c.

Also a lot of reading books, the property of the late C. Grondona.

Messrs. CRAWFORD & Co. are instructed to sell by public auction, on the first floor of Messrs. Morton & Co.'s Tea Emporium in Church-gate-street, Fort, opposite the *Times of India* Old Office, on TUESDAY, the 12th instant, at 2 p. m., a quantity of very valuable plated wares, &c., the property of JOHN LUMSDAINE, Esq., about to leave India.

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Bombay, 6th December, 1882.

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NOTICE is hereby given that a MEETING of the DIRECTORS was held on the 16th inst. when a SIXTH CALL of RUPEES FIFTY per share was made payable at the Bank of Bombay on the 16th Dec. 1882.

By order of the Directors,
R. HYDE CHEETHAM & CO.,
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NOTICE.—SEALED TENDERS for the SUPPLY of STORES for the Mill of the above-named Company are hereby invited, and will be received till 4 p.m. of WEDNESDAY, the 6th proximo, at the Registered Office of the Company, No 1, Church-street.

Seperate tenders for Wheatflour will also be received till the aforesaid date.

Forms of Schedules containing full particulars of stores required and of the conditions on which they will have to be supplied may be had on application to the undersigned on payment of One Rupee per Copy.

The Company does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender.

By order,
MUNCHERJEE NOWROJEE BANAJEE,
Secretary.

Bombay, 21st November, 1882.

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ધી નીઉ ઇસટ ઇંડીઆ પરેસ કંપની લીમીટેડ.

NOTICE is hereby given that the EIGHTH ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the above Company will be held at its registered office, No. 3, Church Lane, Fort, on SATURDAY, the 16th day of December, 1882, at 3 p. m., to transact the following business, viz :—

1st.—To receive and adopt the audited Accounts and Balance sheet for the year ending 30th September, 1882.
2nd.—To declare a Dividend.
3rd.—To appoint Directors in the room of those who retire by rotation, but are eligible for re-election.
4th.—To appoint Auditors for the year 1882-83, and to fix their remuneration.

By order of the Board of Directors,
કાં મુલજી જેઠાની કું.
i. e., MOOLJEE JAITHA & Co.,
Secretaries and Treasurers.

Bombay, 28th November, 1882.

N. B.—The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 29th November to 16th December, 1882, both days inclusive.

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POSTAL NOTICE.

THE CONTRACT with the BRITISH INDIA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY for the maintenance of steam communication in Indian waters will TERMINATE on the 30th April, 1884.

2. Tenders will hereafter be invited for any lines which the Government may resolve on subsidising after that date.

3. This notice is given to afford intending tenderers sufficient time to enable them to be ready with their offers.

L. G. WAIT.
Assistant Director-General of the Post Office of India
foreign Post Branch.
Simla, 13th October, 1882.

SCOTT & Co., M.R.C.V.S.,
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All the interested who have not yet received their respective Warrants are requested to apply for same to A.B. ANTRAM, Esq., Manager in India, 101, Clive-street, Calcutta.

PELLY & Co.,
Bombay, 22nd September, 1882. Agents.

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NOTICE.

THE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Registered Office of the Company, No. 7, Hummum-street, Bombay, on MONDAY, the 11th December, 1882, at 4 o'clock p.m., Bombay time.

1st—To receive and adopt the Directors' Report and the audited Balance sheet for the period ending 15th November, 1882.
2nd—To appoint Directors.
3rd—To appoint an Auditor for the ensuing year and to fix his remuneration.

The Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 2nd to the 11th December, 1882, both days inclusive.

By order of the Directors,
R. HYDE CHEETHAM & Co.,
Secretaries and Agents.
No. 7, Hummum-street, 29th November, 1882.

RAJPUTANA-MALWA RAILWAY
(Includes the Rajputana State Railway, the Holkar State Railway, and the Sindhia-Neemuch State Railway.)

NOTICE.

ON and after the 1st January, 1883, the PRESENT ORDINARY RATES for the carriage of goods over this Railway will be CANCELLED, and the following REDUCED RATES SUBSTITUTED :—

	Per maund per mile pie
First Class	55
Second „	325
Third „	7
Fourth „	35
Fifth „	1'0

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